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**Name:**

**Mark Conway**

**Years at Penn:** \_\_\_\_

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**Job title (and brief description of job duties):**

Athletic Grounds Supervisor. Oversee grounds operations at the River Fields Complex, Palestra and Franklin Field. Some items we perform include field grooming operations, field painting and taping, seeding and aeration, bed weeding, landscape planting, landscape bed maintenance, Penn Relays set up coverage, Commencement set up and coverage and snow removal operations.

**Have you taken any classes, received a degree, or attended any lectures at Penn? If so, please describe... Essentials of Management**

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**What is your proudest achievement, personal or while working at Penn?**

Over the last few years I was given many opportunities to work with all of the operations that Urban Park provides to the University and be involved with multiple working groups around the campus. By being involved everything its given me a greater appreciation working at the University.

**What is your favorite building on campus?**

With Franklin Field being where my office is now I have to go with that. There is something about it that gives you a good feeling when you walk in to start your day. Similar to an athlete on game day I am sure 😊

**Favorite place on campus to eat/drink? ...to shop? ...to sit quietly? ...to gather with friends/coworkers?**

MexiPhilly food cart on Spruce bets place for a burrito always good and quick and allows time to catch up with coworkers.

**What are your favorite things to do in your free time, outside of work?**

Going to the shore my wife and kids. I have 3 yr old and a 9 month old school year is so busy its nice getting away in the summer time.

**What is your motto, words to live by, or best advice?**

Instead of thinking why something can't be done, explore alternative options to get it done. Anything is possible if you put your mind to it.