



Name: Margo Pietras Barnes

Years at Penn: 6

Years at FRES: 6

Job title (and brief description of job duties):

Senior Project Manager: I manage the design and construction of capital projects, mainly for the Perelman School of Medicine and campus infrastructure

What is your favorite building on campus?

Fisher Fine Arts (Furness Library).

What is your favorite Penn tradition, event, or memory?

I love Move-In each year, being a part of welcoming the new students to Penn, feeling the excitement in the air and seeing everyone come together to make the freshmen feel at home.

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

Mad 4 Mex for lunch. Gap for shopping. Penn Park to sit quietly. JG Domestic for gathering with friends/coworkers.

What three words best describe yourself:

Ambitious, energetic, dedicated.

What talent or power would you most like to have?

To be a great motivator.

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

Golf, dancing, fishing, trap/skeet shooting, playing with my kids, eating out, shopping, listening to music.

What is the best lesson you ever learned?

When told something in confidence to keep it to myself.

What characteristic or trait do you most value in your colleagues?

Integrity.

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

Advice: As Bob Dylan said, "Don't criticize what you can't understand."