

# JIM CONNOLLY

## EDUCATION

PHILADELPHIA UNIVERSITY Philadelphia, PA  
**Masters of Business Administration** 6/13 - 5/14  
Specialization in Accounting

**Bachelor of Science in Accounting & Finance** 8/09 - 5/13  
Dean's List: Fall 2011, Spring 2012, Fall 2012

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

CHESTNUT HILL COLLEGE Philadelphia, PA  
**Women's Basketball Head Coach** 10/19 – Present

- 2022-23 Season (current): 17-9 (12-4 CACC)
  - Program's first ever National Ranking (D2SIDA Pre-Season #25)
  - Clinched a CACC Playoff Berth
  - Top 10 Nationally in scoring defense
- 2021-22 Season: 24-7 (16-2 CACC)
  - CACC Women's Basketball Coach of the Year
  - Program's first ever NCAA Tournament Appearance (#2 seed in the East Region)
  - Clinched a CACC Playoff Berth & South Division Regular Season Championship
  - Program's first ever CACC Tournament win
  - WhoopDirt.com DII National Coach of the Week (2/22/2022)
  - Three players named to the CACC Women's Basketball All-Conference Teams
  - Freshman named CACC Rookie of the Year
- 2019-20 Season: 11-18 (10-9 CACC)
  - Clinched a CACC Playoff Berth
  - One player named to the CACC Women's Basketball All-Conference Teams

JEFFERSON UNIVERSITY Philadelphia, PA  
**Women's Basketball Assistant Coach** 7/15 – 10/19

- Organized and implemented pre-season and post-season skill development workouts
- Responsible for film breakdown on opponents using Synergy statistics and clips
- Recruited prospective high school scholar athletes to the University
- Helped guide the team to a 94-31 record, including two CACC Tournament Championships (2016 & 2019) and three NCAA Division II East Region tournament berths (2016, 2018, 2019)

BRYN ATHYN COLLEGE Bryn Athyn, PA  
**Men's Basketball Assistant Coach** 11/14 – 7/15

- Collaborated with the head coach to ensure efficient daily operation of the basketball program
- Evaluated and recruited prospective high school student athletes to establish future growth of the team
- Supported the development and implementation of offensive and defensive game strategies

PHILADELPHIA UNIVERSITY Philadelphia, PA  
**Athletic Department Administrative Assistant** 8/13 - 5/14

- Wrote up assorted athletic publications and schedule cards on a daily basis
- Designed and edited game programs and media guides
- Updated and maintained detailed statistics on the official athletic website
- Collaborated with upper level administration to maintain an organized office and efficient operations

## ATHLETIC AWARDS & RECOGNITION

President's Award, Philadelphia University Athletics (2013)  
Captain, Philadelphia University Men's Basketball Team (2012)  
Capital One Division II Academic All-District 1 Men's Basketball Team (2012)  
Student Athlete Advisory Committee Representative (2011-2013)  
Team MVP, Philadelphia University Men's Basketball (2011-2013)  
1st Team All-Conference Selection, Central Atlantic Collegiate Conference (2012)  
NCAA East Region All-Tournament Team (2010)