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JV,

Snakeheads have something of a growing cult following on the lower Potomac river but I have not personally pursued them as I prefer the upper Potomac where they don't exist thankfully (at least not yet). There are some guides who can probably get you into to them. There are some waters around Philly with 'em but I don't hear about guys targeting them.

As for the rod, I usually use a 10WT for muskies - the same rods I use for salt. 9' medium fast. You're throwing very big flies but sometimes you will be casting close or around cover and some rods might be a bit on the fast side. Conventional gear muskie guys like very long bait casting rods but with soft tips that make casting easier. I'm not one who pays particularly close attention to rod action so others may suggest a different take on this (of course).