

Keeping Pathways to Success Current: Stratton House Colloquy

At the Stratton House Colloquy, members of the faculty, professional staff, and administration discuss strategic issues of the college that cut across schools and other administrative units. The format of the hour-long sessions stresses brainstorming and interaction among participants, often ending with an action plan. Taking place six times a year at President Braaten's home, these discussions help ensure that the Pathways to Success remain current and continue to evolve. They also ensure that all campus professionals have a voice in shaping Ferrum's academic culture.

Among the topics discussed so far have been these:

- Mapping the Pathways to Success
- Campus as Learning Lab
- Classroom Technology
- Service Learning
- The Idea of a Revolving Campus Theme
- Linking into the Environment as a Yearly Theme
- Linking into Social and Economic Justice as the Yearly Theme
- Boyer Model of Faculty Development
- Campus Civility
- Assessment
- Athletics and Academic Culture
- Reaching Students