## Robert A. Farinelli – Candidate for Dean of Health and STEM

Robert A. Farinelli earned an M.A. in Mathematics from the University of Pittsburgh and a B.S. in Mathematics from the Pennsylvania State University. He also graduated from Capella University with an M.S. in Education.

Mr. Farinelli is currently the Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs at the College of Southern Maryland. His primary responsibility involves coordinating activities between the Division Chairs and the Office of Academic Affairs. Mr. Farinelli previously held positions as the STEM Director and the Division Chair of Mathematics, Physics & Engineering. He was also a Professor of Mathematics at the Community College of Allegheny County.

Mr. Farinelli has been a member of various mathematics-oriented college organizations has also served on Allegheny Valley YMCA Board of Directors and American Red Cross (New Kensington Chapter) Board of Directors. He has a passion for collaborating with students pursuing associates degrees and believes he possesses the breadth of experience and knowledge to tackle challenges facing community colleges today.

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