

## **AU women's soccer team drops 6-0 decision at Utica**

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UTICA, NY - The Alfred University women's soccer team was shut out, 6-0, at Empire 8 Conference opponent Utica College Saturday afternoon. With the loss, AU falls to 3-5 overall (0-3 in Empire 8 action), while Utica improves to 3-3-1 (1-0-1 Empire 8). Utica scored four goals in the first half while outshooting Alfred 12-1. Danielle Smith scored what proved to be the gamewinner 1:14 into the contest. Kelly Regan scored on a penalty kick 21 midway through the half before Ashley Granger and Smith added the Pioneers' third and fourth tallies of the half. Granger and Jamie Merdinger scored second-half goals for Utica, which outshot AU 12-2 after intermission. Smith finished with a pair of assists. AU senior Amy Buisman (Rochester, NY/Penfield) made seven saves in goal for AU. Samantha Lawrie made three saves in goal for Utica to earn the shutout. Alfred is in action next on Tuesday, Sept. 30, at 5 p.m. at Medaille.