

AU men's and women's indoor track teams wrap up competition at state championship meet
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CANTON, NY -- The Alfred University men's and women's track and field teams concluded competition Saturday at the New York State Collegiate Track Conference (NYSCTC) indoor championships. The AU men placed 13th and the Alfred women 15th at the two-day meet, held this weekend at St. Lawrence University. Freshman Shawn Ross (Ticonderoga, NY/Ticonderoga) led the AU men with a third-place finish in the shot put (14.23 meters). Junior Ryan Squillacioti (Smithtown, NY/Hauppague) was fifth in the shot put (14.17 meters) and senior Justin Parietti (Altamont, NY/Guilderland) was fifth in the 1,000-meter run in an ECAC-qualifying time of 2:35.25. The team of senior Travis Swan (Binghamton, NY/Binghamton), freshman Dan Howard, Parietti and senior Matt Karczewski (Penn Yan, NY/Penn Yan) took ninth in the 4x800-yard relay. Senior Kaitlin Sherin (Maybrook, NY/Valley), sophomores Megan Crimmins (Big Flats, NY/Horseheads) and Megan McKee (Rush, NY/Rush-Henrietta) and freshman Melissa Haahr (Owego, NY/Tioga) placed eighth in the 4x800-yard relay (10:29.85) to lead the Alfred women. Alfred is in action next at the ECAC indoor championships, Friday and Saturday, March 7 and 8, in Cambridge, MA.