## Beckwith ends season at women's Alpine skiiing regionals 2/26/06

SWAIN, NY Rachel Beckwith (Landgrove, VT/Stratton Mountain), a freshman on the Alfred University women's Alpine ski team, came up short in her bid to qualify for the United States Collegiate Ski Association (USCSA) National Championships. Beckwith did not finish her slalom run Saturday at the USCSA Mid-Atlantic Regional championships, held Friday and Saturday at Swain Ski Center. She had placed sixth in the giant slalom competition Friday morning. Although the AU women's team did not qualify to compete in regionals (only the top three teams in the Mid-Atlantic Region's Empire Conference did), Beckwith, based on her performance during the regular season, qualified to compete as an individual.