

AU men's swimming and diving team ranked 12th in the nation

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ALFRED, NY The undefeated Alfred University men's swimming and diving team is ranked in the top-20 nationally, according to a recently-released poll. Alfred (5-0, 2-0 Empire 8) is 12th among Division III schools ranked by CollegeSwimming.com, a leading on-line provider of information on collegiate swimming and diving. Rankings are based on each team's best dual-meet lineup as judged and submitted by participating teams. The rankings from this week are the first of four that will be released throughout the year. Last season, the Saxons reached a season-high ranking of 23rd, just before the state championship meet, before ending the season 25th. Alfred is the highest-ranked team from New York State in the current CollegeSwimming.com top-20 poll and is the only Empire 8 Conference team listed in the rankings. The Saxons are in action this weekend at the Don Richards Invitational, hosted by Rochester Institute of Technology, Dec. 1-3.