

Four Saxons earn all-conference cross country honors from Empire 8

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ALFRED-- Four members of the Alfred University men's cross country team earned all-conference honors from the Empire 8. Senior Michael Cook (Auburn/Auburn), and juniors Ryan Bank (St. Johnsbury, VT/St. Johnsbury), Dan Burnett (Spencerport/Spencerport) and Daniel Gagnon (Woonsocket, RI/Woonsocket) were named to the all-conference Second Team. All-conference selections were made based on results from Saturday's New York State Collegiate Track Conference (NYSCTC) championship meet in Saratoga. Of the five Empire 8 teams competing in the state meet, Alfred placed third. Cook placed 23rd in the state meet and eighth in the conference standings with a time of 26:59 on the 8-kilometer course. Bank was 24th in the state meet and ninth in the conference (27:02). Burnett was 33rd in the state meet and 11th in the conference (27:14). Gagnon was 34th in the state meet and 12th in the conference (27:15). The AU men's and women's cross country teams compete next on Saturday, Nov. 15, at the NCAA Division III Regional meet at Letchworth State Park.