

## AU indoor track and field teams compete at RIT

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ROCHESTER, NY The Alfred University men&s and women&s indoor track and field teams competed at RIT Saturday. There were no team scores, but both AU squads turned in solid performances.

Sophomore Miasia Hillman (Buffalo, NY/Hutch Tech) took fourth in the 60-meter dash and ninth in the 200 meters (28.34) and junior Rebecca Graudons (Mayfield, NY/Mayfield) was second in the women&s pole vault (3.18 meters) and seventh in the triple jump (9.80 meters) to pace the AU women.

Also turning in top-10 performances for the Alfred women were: sophomore Tracie Forrester (Gainesville, NY/Letchworth), seventh in the 400 meters (1:07.30); junior Liz DeMonte (Melville, NY/Walt Whitman), second in the high jump (1.53 meters); senior Amy Morrissey (Hornell, NY/Hornell), 10<sup>th</sup> in the 400 meters (1:08.83); junior Corine Pettit (Strykersville, NY/Holland), ninth in the triple jump (9.62 meters); junior Chelsea Hall (Grand Island, NY/Grand Island), fourth in the 500 meters (1:33.65) and fifth in the 60-meter hurdles (10.44); and senior Kari Blatz (North Babylon, NY/North Babylon), junior Jennifer Kirsch (Penfield, NY/Penfield) and senior Kirstin Cook (Tonawanda, NY/Kenmore East), fourth (10.18 meters), seventh (9.89) and eighth (9.69), respectively, in the shot put.

The team of Pettit, Graudons, Hillman and freshman Kylie Bierman (Wellsville, NY/Wellsville) was fourth in the 4X200-meter relay (1:57.09); Forrester, Morrissey, Hall and senior Jordyn Larkins (Rochester, NY/Harley-Allendale-Columbia) were fifth in the 4X400 relay (4:47.62).

Senior Chris Lopez (Rochester, NY/Pittsford Sutherland) was third in the 60-meter dash (7.23) and 200-meter dash (23.51) to lead the AU men. Senior Jeremy Weaver (Lancaster, PA/Lancaster Catholic) was second in the 500 meters (1:12.29) and junior Isaiah Cassin (Candor, NY/Candor) was second in the high jump (1.88 meters).

Other top-10 finishes from the AU men came from sophomore Nolan Rummel (Kings Park, NY/Kings Park), fifth in the 400-meter dash (53.32); junior Eddie Potter (Lansing, NY/Lansing), fourth in the 1,000-meter run (2:43.24); sophomore Terel Marshburn (Elmira, NY/Elmira Free Academy), ninth in the 1,000-meter in (2:59.52); junior Mykel Ferguson (Rochester, NY/Greece Olympia), fifth in the high jump (1.78 meters) and eighth in the long jump (6.19 meters); and sophomore Lucas Marshall (Windsor, NY/Windsor), freshman Philip Caruso (Rome, NY/Rome Free Academy) and freshman Joseph Deurmeyer (Corfu, NY/Pembroke), seventh (12.83 meters), ninth (12.58) and 10<sup>th</sup> (12.55), respectively, in the shot put.

The team of senior Randy Brito (New York, NY/Cardinal Hayes), Weaver, Rummel and Potter placed third in the 4X400-meter relay (3:35.35).

The AU men's and women's teams are in action next on Saturday, Jan. 19 at Edinboro (PA) University.