



# 2017 UNIVERSITY AT ALBANY GREAT DANES VOLLEYBALL

**SIX-TIME AMERICA EAST TOURNAMENT CHAMPION**  
**NINE-TIME AMERICA EAST REGULAR SEASON CHAMPION**

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## 2017 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

### USC/LMU Tournament

8/25	vs. Michigan (at USC)	L 0-3
8/25	@ Loyola Marymount	L 0-3
8/26	@ USC	L 1-3

### Desmond Hotel Invitational

<b>9/1</b>	<b>St. John's</b>	<b>7:30 p.m.</b>
<b>9/2</b>	<b>Colgate</b>	<b>1 p.m.</b>
<b>9/2</b>	<b>Temple</b>	<b>7 p.m.</b>

### Villanova Classic

9/8	vs. UConn	11 a.m.
9/8	vs. Princeton	5 p.m.
9/9	@ Villanova	2:30 p.m.

### Colorado State Invitational

9/15	@ Colorado State	9 p.m.
9/16	vs. Colorado	1 p.m.
9/16	vs. Xavier	7 p.m.

### America East Regular Season

<b>9/22</b>	<b>Binghamton*</b>	<b>7 p.m.</b>
<b>9/29</b>	<b>New Hampshire*</b>	<b>7 p.m.</b>
<b>9/30</b>	<b>UMass Lowell*</b>	<b>6 p.m.</b>
10/6	@ Hartford*	7 p.m.
10/8	@ UMBC*	1 p.m.
<b>10/15</b>	<b>Stony Brook*</b>	<b>2 p.m.</b>
10/20	@ Binghamton*	7 p.m.
10/27	@ UMass Lowell*	7 p.m.
10/29	@ New Hampshire*	1 p.m.
<b>11/3</b>	<b>UMBC*</b>	<b>7 p.m.</b>
<b>11/5</b>	<b>Hartford*</b>	<b>2 p.m.</b>
11/10	@ Stony Brook*	7 p.m.

### America East Tournament

11/18	America East Semis	TBA
11/19	America East Final	TBA

\*- America East match

All Times ET

**Home matches in bold purple**



University at Albany Great Danes  
(0-3, 0-0 America East)  
Desmond Hotel Invitational  
PE Gymnasium - Albany, N.Y.

Opponents:

St. John's (3-1, 0-0 Big East) - 9/1, 7:30 p.m.  
Colgate (3-0, 0-0 Patriot League) - 9/2, 1 p.m.  
Temple (1-2, 0-0 AAC) - 9/2, 7 p.m.

## UAlbany Hosts Desmond Hotel Invitational

The UAlbany volleyball team is set to host its first in-season tournament since 2009, bringing in St. John's, Colgate and Temple for the Desmond Hotel Invitational this weekend.

UAlbany will take on St. John's in the Friday nightcap on September 1st at 7:30 p.m., then on Saturday, September 2nd, the Great Danes take on Colgate at 1 p.m. and Temple at 7 p.m.

Tournament host UAlbany, from the America East, went 0-3 in its opening weekend at the USC/LMU Tournament. Big East member St. John's won its home invitational, the Jack Kaiser Classic Title, with a 3-1 record last weekend. From the Patriot League, Colgate won the Otto Invitational in Syracuse, winning all three of its matches. Temple, out of the AAC, went 1-2 in its first weekend at the Maryland Invitational.

UAlbany and St. John's will play for the second straight year, with the Great Danes earning a 3-1 win in West Point last season to lead the overall series 2-1. UAlbany revives its series against Colgate after a 3-0 victory in Hamilton in 2015; the Raiders lead the overall series 5-4. UAlbany is a perfect 5-0 against Temple all-time and will play for the first time since 2008, a four-set win in Philadelphia.

## THE TEAM

1	OH	Tatiana Tiangco	Fr.	Leads all UAlbany rookies with 26 kills
2	MB	Zoey Chilcote	Fr.	Two-time Most Improved Player at Western High
3	MB	Taylor Robinson	Sr.	Third in America East with 1.06 total blocks per set in 2016
4	DS/L	Nina Holmes	Sr.	14th in America East with 2.4 digs per set in 2016
5	RS	Chloe Lamb	Jr.	Missed most of 2016 with injury, led UAlbany rookies in kills in 2015 with 104
6	DS/L	Emily Zimmerman	Jr.	Serving specialist last season, playing in 61 sets with nine aces
7	L	Nicole Otero	Jr.	Two-time AE All-Conference player, eight digs away from 1,000 in collegiate career
8	S	Larissa Focosi	Jr.	2015-16 NJCAA All-American setter at Iowa Western CC
9	OH	Chloe Evering	So.	2016 America East All-Rookie Team, leads all UAlbany returners w/ 285 kills in '16
11	S/RS	Kelly Cameron	So.	Reserve setter last season, finishing with 160 assists and 52 digs in 12 matches
12	OH/DS	Gilli Kalb	Fr.	Led Westminster Academy (Fla.) to a district title in 2015
14	OH	Diana Pinchuk	Fr.	First-ever Niskayuna graduate to play Division I volleyball
16	OH	Lexi Shannon	Fr.	Three-time Colonial Council All-Star in high school
17	DS/OH	Gabrielle Hansen	Jr.	439 career digs, team's reserve libero
19	OH	Selah Malcoln	Fr.	Helped Johns Creek High to 111-39 record in three years
20	MB	Courtney O'Connell	So.	Appeared in nine matches in 2016 with 27 kills and six blocks
23	MB	Danielle Tedesco	Fr.	Three-time All-New York honoree at Cazenovia
34	MB	Akuabata Okenwa	R-So.	Reigning America East Player of the Week

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### OKENWA EARNS AMERICA EAST PLAYER OF THE WEEK

After a stellar performance against top tier opponents in California, Akuabata earned her first-ever America East Player of the Week honor after the USC/LMU Tournament. She hit .316 in the tournament, combining for 35 kills, 11 digs and six total blocks.

### UALBANY PREDICTED TO FINISH SECOND IN AMERICA EAST

The UAlbany volleyball team has been predicted to finish second in the America East in the 2017 season in the preseason coaches poll. UAlbany got two out of a possible six first place votes, getting 31 total points. New Hampshire, the defending America East champion, is predicted to finish first with 34 points with five first place votes.

### UALBANY TO HOST DESMOND HOTEL INVITATIONAL

UAlbany is set to host its first in-season tournament since 2009, bringing in St. John's, Temple and Colgate for the Desmond Hotel Invitational on September 1-2 in the University Gym.

All teams will play the others in a round-robin format, with two matches on Friday and four on Saturday. All matches will be at the University Gym with free admission.

The last time UAlbany hosted an in-season invitational in 2009, the Great Danes earned the title with victories over Hofstra, Seton Hall and Lamar.

### NICOLE OTERO APPROACHING 1000 DIGS

UAlbany's starting libero beginning in the 2015 season, Nicole Otero is eight digs away from joining the 1,000-dig club, currently standing at 992. The two-time America East All-Conference Second Team libero and 2015 America East Defensive Specialist of the Year has averaged 4.9 digs per set in her collegiate career and had at least 475 digs in each of her first two years.

She also is 109 digs away from tying for 10th all-time in UAlbany history with Ashley Reed, who had 1,101 digs from 2002-05.

### LAST TIME: UALBANY FALLS IN THREE MATCHES IN USC/LMU TOURNAMENT

Going up against three opponents, including two ranked in the top-26 of the AVCA, UAlbany fell in three matches in the USC/LMU Tournament in Los Angeles, including to Michigan and LMU in three and USC in four.

Akuabata Okenwa earned a place on the USC/LMU All-Tournament Team, hitting .316 with 35 kills and six total blocks. Tatiana Tiangco had 26 kills and seven digs while Chloe Evering notched 18 kills and 19 digs.



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### 2017 UALBANY QUICK FACTS

Location .....	Albany, N.Y.
Founded .....	1844
Enrollment .....	13,100 undergraduate
Nickname .....	Great Danes
Colors .....	Purple and Gold
Conference .....	America East
Facility .....	University Gym
Capacity .....	2,000
President .....	Dr. Havidán Rodríguez
Athletics Director .....	Mark Benson
Deputy Athletics Director .....	Jerry Koloskie
Faculty Representative .....	Rick Fogerty
Senior Woman's Administrator .....	Cara White

### 2017 UALBANY VOLLEYBALL

Head Coach .....	MJ Engstrom
UAlbany Record .....	154-109 (10th season)
Office Phone .....	(518)-442-3072
E-Mail .....	mengstrom@albany.edu
Associate Head Coach .....	Josh Pickard
Assistant Coach .....	Traci Vandegrift
Trainer .....	Kevin Tarpey
Strength and Conditioning Coach ..	Bridget Pryal
2016 Overall Record .....	16-10
2016 America East Record .....	9-3
2016 America East Finish .....	2nd
Letterwinners Returning/Lost .....	9/3
Starters Returning/Lost .....	3+libero/3
Newcomers .....	8

### UALBANY VOLLEYBALL HISTORY

First Year of D-I Volleyball .....	1999
All-Time D-I Record .....	308-229
America East Record .....	146-52
America East Regular Season Titles .....	9
America East Championship Titles .....	6

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## 2017 UALBANY GREAT DANES VOLLEYBALL

### AMERICA EAST STANDINGS (8/30)

	Conf.	Overall
<b>UAlbany</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-3</b>
Binghamton	0-0	1-2
Hartford	0-0	0-3
New Hampshire	0-0	1-3
Stony Brook	0-0	1-3
UMBC	0-0	1-2
UMass Lowell	0-0	1-2

### 2017 AWARDS

*Akuabata Okenwa*

–America East Player of the Week 8/28

–USC/LMU All-Tournament Team

### 2016 AE RANKINGS (TOP-10)

*Amanda Dolan*

–Hitting % (.234): 10th

–Blocks Per Set (1.20): 1st

*Chloe Evering*

–Kills Per Set (2.85): 7th

*Gabrielle Hansen*

–Aces Per Set (0.28): 10th

*Laini Leindecker*

–Kills Per Set (2.93): 6th

–Digs Per Set (3.16): 7th

*Mikala McCauley*

–Assists Per Set (8.49): 6th

*Nicole Otero*

–Aces Per Set (0.40): 1st

–Digs Per Set (5.00): 2nd

*Akuabata Okenwa*

–Blocks Per Set (0.97): 5th

*Taylor Robinson*

–Blocks Per Set (1.06): 3rd

*Team*

–Hitting % (.188): 5th

–Opp. Hitting % (.188): 3rd

–Kills Per Set (11.79): 5th

–Assists Per Set (10.96): 4th

–Blocks Per Set (2.47): 1st

–Aces Per Set (1.33): 5th

–Digs Per Set (16.82): 1st

### SCOUTING THE OPPONENTS:

St. John's primary hitter is 6-foot-4 senior Julia Cast, who sports a team-high 49 kills, adding nine digs. Freshman outside hitter Jordan McCalla is hitting .270 with 46 kills, two aces and 34 digs while sophomore setter Erica Di Maulo has tallied 142 assists, eight service aces, 31 digs and 12 total blocks.

Colgate is led by a pair of outside hitters, junior Katie Stansbury and freshman Alli Lowe, who each have over 36 kills and hit over .250. The team's setter is senior Lauren Sanderson, who comes in with 118 assists, 31 digs and six blocks.

Senior outside hitter Izzy Rapacz leads Temple with 32 kills and four service aces, adding 25 digs and 15 blocks. In the middle is senior Janine Simmons, hitting .353 with 24 kills and 15 total blocks. Averaging nearly two blocks a set, junior middle Iva Deak has earned 17 kills and 21 total blocks.

### LAST MEETINGS:

At the West Point Invitational on September 16, 2016, UAlbany defeated St. John's in four (25-23, 25-20, 14-25, 25-13) to win its opening match of the tournament. Laini Leindecker had a double double of 15 kills and 12 digs while Amanda Dolan hit .346 for 10 kills and six blocks.

Colgate hosted UAlbany for its own in-season tournament on September 12, 2015, with UAlbany sweeping the Raiders (25-17, 25-19, 25-13). Laini Leindecker earned a double double, hitting .350 with 16 kills and 12 digs, with Nicole Otero having 22 digs at libero.

UAlbany took on Temple as a tune-up before the 2008 NCAA Tournament, defeating the Owls in four (25-21, 22-25, 25-21, 26-24) on November 29th. Amanda Cowdrey led UAlbany, hitting .350 with 18 kills and 17 digs while Kamisha Kellam hit .500 with 14 kills.

### LEINDECKER NAMED 2016 AMERICA EAST SCHOLAR-ATHLETE

Graduated senior Laini Leindecker was selected as the 2016 America East Scholar-Athlete for volleyball, chosen by the conference. The America East All-Academic Team member finished the Fall 2016 semester with a 3.71 GPA in human biology.

### FRESHMAN UP!

UAlbany sports a freshmen class of seven this season, hailing from the states of New York, Florida and Georgia. Five of the seven are listed as at least six feet tall and five will primarily serve as outside hitters.

## 2017 UALBANY GREAT DANES VOLLEYBALL

### ENGSTROM EARNS TOP DI MARK AT UALBANY

At the helm of UAlbany, MJ Engstrom has amassed 154 victories, winning the America East regular season six times and taking the tournament title three times. She was named the America East Coach of the Year in 2009 and 2011. She passed the mark of Kelly Sheffield, who had 142 wins at UAlbany, for most DI wins at the school on September 16, 2016. In her coaching career, Engstrom has taken three different schools, UAlbany, Nicholls State and Villanova, to the NCAA Tournament.

### APPROACHING ENGSTROM'S 100TH LEAGUE WIN

As UAlbany's head coach, MJ Engstrom is 11 league victories away from her 100th win in America East regular season play. In total, Engstrom's UAlbany teams are 89-19 (82.4%) in the America East regular season.

The Great Danes have won at least nine America East matches in nine out of 10 years and double digit league victories in six years.

### COACHING STAFF RETURNS

MJ Engstrom, associate head coach Josh Pickard and assistant coach Traci Vandegrift stay together for the third straight season in 2017. Pickard is in his second year in his current role after a year as the first assistant while Vandegrift has been with the program as a player, graduate assistant and coach since 2009.

### CAPITAL DISTRICT REPRESENT

Among UAlbany's freshman class include two players from the Capital District. Lexi Shannon, who enrolled at UAlbany last spring, was a three-time Colonial Council All-Star out of the Albany Academy while Diana Pinchuk, a two-time Suburban Council All-Star and first-ever Niskayuna player to play Division I volleyball.

### 2016 IN REVIEW

UAlbany earned a 16-10 overall record in 2016, the third straight season with double digit wins, including winning the West Point Invitational, the first in-season tournament victory in four years. UAlbany finished in second place in the America East with a 9-3 league record, sweeping UMBC in the tournament semifinals before falling at New Hampshire in the title game.

UAlbany finished the year with three America East All-Conference Second Team members, two all-rookie team members and three all-academic team players.

### HEAD COACH MJ ENGSTROM

MJ Engstrom enters her tenth season as head volleyball coach at the University at Albany in 2017.



Engstrom has posted an overall record of 154-106 and 89-19 in America East play over her first nine seasons. Her record includes three America East titles and as many NCAA appearances as a head coach. She previously coached Villanova and Nicholls State to NCAA tournament berths.

In 2016, UAlbany secured its third consecutive America East title match appearance after finishing second place in the league at 9-3, becoming UAlbany's all-time Division I wins leader on September 16th with winning the West Point Invitational. The team finished at 16-10 overall, including victories over UConn and St. John's, sweeping UMBC to reach the America East title match in New Hampshire. Three UAlbany players, Amanda Dolan, Laini Leindecker and Nicole Otero all earned spots on the America East All-Conference Team. UAlbany was a strong defensive team, leading the America East in digs per set (16.82) and blocks per set (2.47).

Engstrom was a student-athlete at the University of Minnesota and received a degree in psychology in 2000.

### ENGSTROM UALBANY RECORD

Year		A-East	Overall
2008	UAlbany	12-0	23-9
2009	UAlbany	10-0	22-9
2010	UAlbany	10-2	22-9
2011	UAlbany	11-1	21-9
2012	UAlbany	10-2	14-15
2013	UAlbany	9-5	9-19
2014	UAlbany	7-5	10-17
2015	UAlbany	11-1	17-9
2016	UAlbany	9-3	16-10
2017	UAlbany	0-0	0-3
Total		89-19	154-109

### ENGSTROM VS. AE SCHOOLS

Binghamton	14-7
Hartford	17-1
New Hampshire	13-8
Stony Brook	19-2
UMBC	17-6
UMass Lowell	8-0

## 2017 UALBANY GREAT DANES VOLLEYBALL

### 2017 UALBANY GREAT DANES NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Cl.	Pos.	Ht.	Hometown / Previous School
1	Tatiana Tiangco	Fr.	OH	6-1	Scarsdale, N.Y./Scarsdale
2	Zoey Chilcote	Fr.	MB	6-1	Davie, Fla./Western
3	Taylor Robinson	Sr.	MB	6-1	Bronx, N.Y./Monroe College (Bronx)
4	Nina Holmes	Sr.	DS/L	5-6	Chico, Calif./Feather River College
5	Chloe Lamb	Jr.	OH/RS	6-0	Temperance, Mich./Bedford
6	Emily Zimmerman	Jr.	DS	5-8	Penfield, N.Y./Penfield
7	Nicole Otero	Jr.	L	5-7	Guaynabo, Puerto Rico/Colegio Adianez
8	Larissa Focosi	Jr.	S	5-7	Sao Paulo, Brazil/Iowa Western CC
9	Chloe Evering	So.	OH	5-10	San Marcos, Calif./San Marcos
11	Kelly Cameron	So.	S/RS	6-0	Cincinnati, Ohio/Ursuline Academy
12	Gilli Kalb	Fr.	OH/DS	5-9	Fort Lauderdale, Fla./Westminster Academy
14	Diana Pinchuk	Fr.	OH	6-1	Niskayuna, N.Y./Niskayuna
16	Lexi Shannon	Fr.	OH	6-3	Saratoga Springs, N.Y./Saratoga
17	Gabby Hansen	Jr.	DS/OH	5-8	North Tonawanda, N.Y./North Tonawanda
19	Selah Malcolm	Fr.	OH	5-10	Johns Creek, Ga./Johns Creek
20	Courtney O'Connell	So.	MB/OH	5-11	Bedford, N.H./Bedford
23	Danielle Tedesco	Fr.	MB	6-3	Cazenovia, N.Y./Cazenovia
34	Aqua Okenwa	R-So.	MB/RS	6-2	Canyon Country, Calif./Quartz Hill

### 2017 UALBANY GREAT DANES ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Cl.	Pos.	Ht.	Hometown/Previous School
11	Kelly Cameron	So.	S/RS	6-0	Cincinnati, Ohio/Ursuline Academy
2	Zoey Chilcote	Fr.	MB	6-1	Davie, Fla./Western
9	Chloe Evering	So.	OH	5-10	San Marcos, Calif./San Marcos
8	Larissa Focosi	Jr.	S	5-7	Sao Paulo, Brazil/Iowa Western CC
17	Gabby Hansen	Jr.	DS/OH	5-8	North Tonawanda, N.Y./North Tonawanda
4	Nina Holmes	Sr.	DS/L	5-6	Chico, Calif./Feather River College
12	Gilli Kalb	Fr.	OH/DS	5-9	Fort Lauderdale, Fla./Westminster Academy
5	Chloe Lamb	Jr.	OH/RS	6-0	Temperance, Mich./Bedford
19	Selah Malcolm	Fr.	OH	5-10	Johns Creek, Ga./Johns Creek
20	Courtney O'Connell	So.	MB/OH	5-11	Bedford, N.H./Bedford
34	Aqua Okenwa	R-So.	MB/RS	6-2	Canyon Country, Calif./Quartz Hill
7	Nicole Otero	Jr.	L	5-7	Guaynabo, Puerto Rico/Colegio Adianez
14	Diana Pinchuk	Fr.	OH	6-1	Niskayuna, N.Y./Niskayuna
3	Taylor Robinson	Sr.	MB	6-1	Bronx, N.Y./Monroe College (Bronx)
16	Lexi Shannon	Fr.	OH	6-3	Saratoga Springs, N.Y./Saratoga
23	Danielle Tedesco	Fr.	MB	6-3	Cazenovia, N.Y./Cazenovia
1	Tatiana Tiangco	Fr.	OH	6-1	Scarsdale, N.Y./Scarsdale
6	Emily Zimmerman	Jr.	DS	5-8	Penfield, N.Y./Penfield

### Coaching Staff

Head Coach: MJ Engstrom, 10th season (Minnesota '00)

Associate Head Coach: Josh Pickard, 3rd season (Michigan State '02)

Assistant Coach: Traci Vandegrift, 5th season (UAlbany '13)

### CLASS BREAKDOWN

Freshmen .....	7
Sophomores .....	4
Juniors .....	5
Seniors .....	2

### POSITION BREAKDOWN

Defensive Specialists/Liberos ..	5
Middle Blockers .....	5
Outside/Right Side Hitters .....	11
Setters .....	2

### PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Larissa Focosi - fah-COE-see

Akuabata Okenwa - ah-kwaa-BAH-tah o-KEN-wah

Nicole Otero - o-TEAR-o

Tatiana Tiangco - tee-ON-go

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## INDIVIDUAL CAREER/SEASON HIGHS (ORDER OF NUMBER)

### **#1 Tatiana Tiangco (6-1 Fr. OH)**

#### Career Highs

Kills: 11 (at USC, 8/26/17)  
Aces: 1 (at USC, 8/26/17)  
Assists: 2 (at USC, 8/26/17)  
Digs: 6 (at Loyola Marymount, 8/25/17)  
Blocks: 1 (at USC, 8/26/17)

#### Season Highs

Kills: 11 (at USC, 8/26/17)  
Aces: 1 (at USC, 8/26/17)  
Assists: 2 (at USC, 8/26/17)  
Digs: 6 (at Loyola Marymount, 8/25/17)  
Blocks: 1 (at USC, 8/26/17)

### **#4 Nina Holmes (5-6 Sr. DS/L)**

#### Career Highs (UAlbany)

Kills: 2 (@ UMBC, 10/7/16)  
Aces: 2 (3x, last: @ Stony Brook, 10/9/16)  
Assists: 3 (vs. UC Santa Barbara, 8/27/16)  
Digs: 20 (vs. UMBC, 11/6/16)  
Blocks: N/A

#### Season Highs

Kills: N/A  
Aces: 1 (vs. Michigan, 8/25/17)  
Assists: 1 (2x, last: @ USC, 8/26/17)  
Digs: 6 (@USC, 8/26/17)  
Blocks: N/A

### **#7 Nicole Otero (5-7 Jr. L)**

#### Career Highs

Kills: 1 (4x, last: vs. UNH, 10/16/16)  
Aces: 4 (4x, last: vs. Stony Brook, 10/9/16)  
Assists: 6 (2x, last: @ Army, 9/17/16)  
Digs: 40 (@ Army, 9/17/16)  
Blocks: N/A

#### Season Highs

Kills: N/A  
Aces: 1 (2x, last: @ Loyola Marymount, 8/25/17)  
Assists: 5 (vs. Michigan, 8/25/17)  
Digs: 15 (vs. Michigan, 8/25/17)  
Blocks: N/A

### **#11 Kelly Cameron (6-0 So. S/RS)**

#### Career Highs

Kills: 6 (@ UNLV, 8/26/16)  
Aces: 1 (4x, last: @ Army, 9/17/16)  
Assists: 35 (@ UNLV, 8/26/16)  
Digs: 16 (@ UNLV, 8/26/16)  
Blocks: 3 (vs. Michigan, 8/25/17)

#### Season Highs

Kills: 3 (@ USC, 8/26/17)  
Aces: N/A  
Assists: 32 (@ USC, 8/26/17)  
Digs: 6 (2x, last: @ USC, 8/26/17)  
Blocks: 3 (vs. Michigan, 8/25/17)

### **#16 Lexi Shannon (6-3 Fr. OH)**

#### Career Highs

Kills: N/A  
Aces: N/A  
Assists: N/A  
Digs: N/A  
Blocks: N/A

#### Season Highs

Kills: N/A  
Aces: N/A  
Assists: N/A  
Digs: N/A  
Blocks: N/A

### **#20 Courtney O'Connell (5-11 So. MB/OH)**

#### Career Highs

Kills: 13 (vs. Iona, 9/3/16)  
Aces: N/A  
Assists: N/A  
Digs: 2 (vs. Rutgers, 9/3/16)  
Blocks: 2 (2x, last: @ Binghamton, 9/23/16)

#### Season Highs

Kills: 1 (vs. Michigan, 8/25/17)  
Aces: N/A  
Assists: N/A  
Digs: N/A  
Blocks: N/A

### **#2 Zoey Chilcote (6-1 Fr. MB)**

#### Career Highs

Kills: N/A  
Aces: N/A  
Assists: N/A  
Digs: N/A  
Blocks: N/A

#### Season Highs

Kills: N/A  
Aces: N/A  
Assists: N/A  
Digs: N/A  
Blocks: N/A

### **#5 Chloe Lamb (6-0 Jr. OH/RS)**

#### Career Highs

Kills: 10 (2x, last: @ Binghamton, 9/25/15)  
Aces: N/A  
Assists: 1 (9x, last: vs. St. John's, 9/16/16)  
Digs: 3 (2x, last: @ Army, 9/17/16)  
Blocks: 6 (2x, last: @ DePaul, 9/10/16)

#### Season Highs

Kills: N/A  
Aces: N/A  
Assists: N/A  
Digs: N/A  
Blocks: N/A

### **#8 Larissa Focosi (5-7 Jr. S)**

#### Career Highs (UAlbany)

Kills: N/A  
Aces: N/A  
Assists: 6 (vs. Michigan, 8/25/17)  
Digs: 5 (vs. Michigan, 8/25/17)  
Blocks: N/A

#### Season Highs

Kills: N/A  
Aces: N/A  
Assists: 6 (vs. Michigan, 8/25/17)  
Digs: 5 (vs. Michigan, 8/25/17)  
Blocks: N/A

### **#12 Gilli Kalb (5-9 Fr. OH/DS)**

#### Career Highs

Kills: N/A  
Aces: N/A  
Assists: N/A  
Digs: N/A  
Blocks: N/A

#### Season Highs

Kills: N/A  
Aces: N/A  
Assists: N/A  
Digs: N/A  
Blocks: N/A

### **#17 Gabby Hansen (5-8 Jr. DS/OH)**

#### Career Highs

Kills: 2 (5x, last: @ USC, 8/26/17)  
Aces: 3 (2x, last: vs. UNH, 10/16/16)  
Assists: 2 (@ UNLV, 8/26/16)  
Digs: 22 (vs. Yale, 9/11/15)  
Blocks: 1 (3x, last: vs. Binghamton, 9/23/16)

#### Season Highs

Kills: 2 (@ USC, 8/26/17)  
Aces: N/A  
Assists: N/A  
Digs: 4 (vs. Michigan, 8/25/17)  
Blocks: N/A

### **#23 Danielle Tedesco (6-3 Fr. MB)**

#### Career Highs

Kills: 5 (@ USC, 8/26/17)  
Aces: N/A  
Assists: N/A  
Digs: 1 (2x, last: @ LMU, 8/25/17)  
Blocks: 3 (@ USC, 8/26/17)

#### Season Highs

Kills: 5 (@ USC, 8/26/17)  
Aces: N/A  
Assists: N/A  
Digs: 1 (2x, last: @ LMU, 8/25/17)  
Blocks: 3 (@ USC, 8/26/17)

### **#3 Taylor Robinson (6-1 Sr. MB)**

#### Career Highs (UAlbany)

Kills: 8 (vs. UMBC, 11/6/16)  
Aces: 1 (vs. Michigan, 8/25/17)  
Assists: 1 (2x, last: vs. Michigan, 8/25/17)  
Digs: 2 (3x, last: @ UMass Lowell, 9/30/16)  
Blocks: 6 (4x, last: vs. Michigan, 8/25/17)

#### Season Highs

Kills: 6 (at USC, 8/26/17)  
Aces: 1 (vs. Michigan, 8/25/17)  
Assists: 1 (vs. Michigan, 8/25/17)  
Digs: 1 (at USC, 8/26/17)  
Blocks: 6 (vs. Michigan, 8/25/17)

### **#6 Emily Zimmerman (5-8 Jr. DS)**

#### Career Highs

Kills: N/A  
Aces: 2 (vs. Stony Brook, 11/6/16)  
Assists: 1 (vs. Stony Brook, 11/6/15)  
Digs: 2 (vs. UConn, 9/16/16)  
Blocks: N/A

#### Season Highs

Kills: N/A  
Aces: N/A  
Assists: N/A  
Digs: N/A  
Blocks: N/A

### **#9 Chloe Evering (5-10 So. OH)**

#### Career Highs

Kills: 18 (2x, last: @ UMass Lowell, 10/30/16)  
Aces: N/A  
Assists: 1 (6x, last: @ LMU, 8/25/17)  
Digs: 9 (vs. Michigan, 8/25/17)  
Blocks: 3 (2x, last: @ Army, 9/17/16)

#### Season Highs

Kills: 7 (@ Loyola Marymount, 8/25/17)  
Aces: N/A  
Assists: 1 (@ Loyola Marymount, 8/25/17)  
Digs: 9 (vs. Michigan, 8/25/17)  
Blocks: N/A

### **#14 Diana Pinchuk (6-1 Fr. OH)**

#### Career Highs

Kills: N/A  
Aces: N/A  
Assists: N/A  
Digs: N/A  
Blocks: N/A

#### Season Highs

Kills: N/A  
Aces: N/A  
Assists: N/A  
Digs: N/A  
Blocks: N/A

### **#19 Selah Malcolm (5-10 Fr. OH)**

#### Career Highs

Kills: N/A  
Aces: N/A  
Assists: N/A  
Digs: N/A  
Blocks: N/A

#### Season Highs

Kills: N/A  
Aces: N/A  
Assists: N/A  
Digs: N/A  
Blocks: N/A

### **#34 Akuabata Okenwa (6-2 R-So. MB)**

#### Career Highs

Kills: 16 (vs. UNH, 10/16/16)  
Aces: 1 (vs. Rutgers, 9/3/16)  
Assists: N/A  
Digs: 3 (@ UMass Lowell, 10/30/16)  
Blocks: 8 (vs. Iona, 9/3/16)

#### Season Highs

Kills: 13 (@ USC, 8/26/17)  
Aces: N/A  
Assists: 1 (@ USC, 8/26/17)  
Digs: 8 (@ USC, 8/26/17)  
Blocks: 3 (@ USC, 8/26/17)

# 2017 UALBANY GREAT DANES VOLLEYBALL

## 2017 UAlbany Volleyball UAlbany Overall Individual Statistics (as of Aug 26, 2017) All matches

Overall record: 0-3 Conf: 0-0 Home: 0-0 Away: 0-2 Neutral: 0-1

##	Player	sp	mp-ms	Attack					Set				Serve		
				k	k/s	e	ta	pct	a	a/s	ta	pct	sa	sa/s	se
34	OKENWA,Akuabata	10	3-3	35	3.50	10	79	.316	1	0.10	5	.200	0	0.00	1
1	TIANGCO,Tatiana	10	3-3	26	2.60	14	70	.171	2	0.20	6	.333	1	0.10	4
9	EVERING,Chloe	10	3-3	18	1.80	11	75	.093	1	0.10	8	.125	0	0.00	4
3	ROBINSON,Taylor	10	3-3	11	1.10	10	46	.022	1	0.10	4	.250	1	0.10	0
23	TEDESCO,Danielle	10	3-3	8	0.80	5	26	.115	0	0.00	0	.000	0	0.00	1
11	CAMERON,Kelly	9	3-2	4	0.44	3	17	.059	69	7.67	211	.327	0	0.00	1
17	HANSEN,Gabrielle	10	3-0	3	0.30	0	8	.375	0	0.00	3	.000	0	0.00	1
20	O'CONNELL,Courtney	1	1-0	1	1.00	0	1	1.000	0	0.00	0	.000	0	0.00	0
4	HOLMES,Nina	10	3-0	0	0.00	0	0	.000	2	0.20	9	.222	1	0.10	3
8	FOCOSI,Larissa	2	1-1	0	0.00	1	4	-.250	6	3.00	35	.171	0	0.00	1
7	OTERO,Nicole	10	3-0	0	0.00	0	1	.000	11	1.10	43	.256	2	0.20	3
6	ZIMMERMAN,Emily	6	3-0	0	0.00	0	0	.000	0	0.00	0	.000	0	0.00	0
	UALBANY	10	3-3	106	10.6	54	327	.159	93	9.30	324	.287	5	0.50	19
	Opponents	10	3-3	148	14.8	50	344	.285	134	13.4	342	.392	23	2.30	29

##	Player	sp	re	Dig		Blocking					Points		
				dig	dig/s	bs	ba	total	blk/s	be	bhe	pts	pts/s
34	OKENWA,Akuabata	10	-	11	1.10	0	6	6	0.60	1	0	38.0	3.80
1	TIANGCO,Tatiana	10	-	7	0.70	0	1	1	0.10	1	0	27.5	2.75
9	EVERING,Chloe	10	-	19	1.90	0	2	2	0.20	0	0	19.0	1.90
3	ROBINSON,Taylor	10	-	1	0.10	4	6	10	1.00	3	0	19.0	1.90
23	TEDESCO,Danielle	10	-	2	0.20	0	6	6	0.60	1	0	11.0	1.10
11	CAMERON,Kelly	9	-	15	1.67	0	3	3	0.33	0	1	5.5	0.61
17	HANSEN,Gabrielle	10	-	9	0.90	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	3.0	0.30
20	O'CONNELL,Courtney	1	-	0	0.00	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	1.0	1.00
4	HOLMES,Nina	10	-	15	1.50	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	1.0	0.10
8	FOCOSI,Larissa	2	-	5	2.50	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.0	0.00
6	ZIMMERMAN,Emily	6	-	0	0.00	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.0	0.00
7	OTERO,Nicole	10	-	37	3.70	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	2.0	0.20
-	TEAM	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	UALBANY.....	10	23	121	12.10	4	24	16.0	1.60	6	1	127.0	12.70
	Opponents.....	10	5	139	13.90	3	22	14.0	1.40	3	2	185.0	18.50

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**#1 Titiana Tiangco**



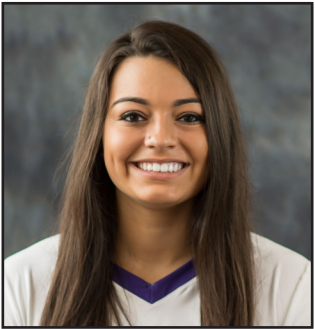
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**#3 Taylor Robinson**



**#4 Nina Holmes**



**#5 Chloe Lamb**



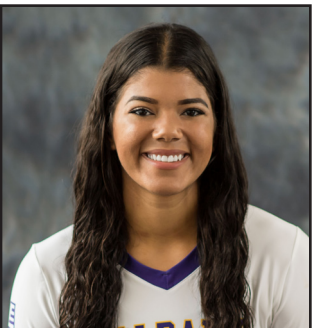
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**#7 Nicole Otero**



**#8 Larissa Focosi**



**#9 Chloe Evinger**



**#11 Kelly Cameron**



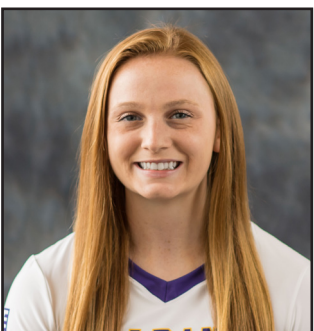
**#12 Gilli Kalb**



**#14 Diana Pinchuk**



**#16 Lexi Shannon**



**#17 Gabby Hansen**



**#19 Selah Malcolm**



**#20 Courtney O'Connell**



**#23 Danielle Tedesco**



**#34 Aqua Okenwa**



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