



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

9/1	St. John's	L 0-3
9/2	Colgate	L 1-3
9/2	Temple	L 0-3

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

9/22	Binghamton*	7 p.m.
9/29	New Hampshire*	7 p.m.
9/30	UMass Lowell*	6 p.m.
10/6	@ Hartford*	7 p.m.
10/8	@ UMBC*	1 p.m.
10/15	Stony Brook*	2 p.m.
10/20	@ Binghamton*	7 p.m.
10/27	@ UMass Lowell*	7 p.m.
10/29	@ New Hampshire*	1 p.m.
11/3	UMBC*	7 p.m.
11/5	Hartford*	2 p.m.
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
(0-6, 0-0 America East)

Villanova Classic

Jake Nevin Field House - Villanova, Pa.

Opponents:

Connecticut (4-2, 0-0 AAC) - 9/8, 11 a.m.

Princeton (2-1, 0-0 Ivy League) - 9/8, 5 p.m.

Villanova (4-2, 0-0 Big East) - 9/9, 2:30 p.m.

UALBANY HEADS TO PHILADELPHIA FOR VILLANOVA CLASSIC

The UAlbany volleyball team will head south to Philadelphia for its third in-season tournament of the season, playing three matches in the Villanova Classic.

UAlbany plays two matches on Friday, September 8th, taking on Connecticut at 11 a.m. and Princeton at 5 p.m. at the Jake Nevin Field House. On Saturday, September 9th, the Great Danes play tournament host Villanova at 2:30 p.m.

UAlbany fell in the three matches as host of the Desmond Hotel Invitational, last to Temple in three on Saturday, to come in at 0-6. UConn is 4-2 after winning two in its home tournament Dog Pound Classic, coming off a three-set win over Hartford, to stand at 4-2. Princeton, the reigning Ivy League champion, went 2-1 in the Beantown Challenge to open the year, defeating Bryant on Saturday. Villanova is back from San Diego after going 1-2, coming off a win over Georgia Tech to stand 4-2 overall.

UAlbany met UConn last season in West Point, winning in four sets to stand 3-1 all-time against the Huskies. It will be the first time meeting between UAlbany and Princeton. Only once has UAlbany and Princeton met, a 3-2 victory for the Wildcats in Charlottesville, Virginia in 2009.

THE TEAM

1	OH	Tatiana Tiangco	Fr.
2	MB	Zoey Chilcote	Fr.
3	MB	Taylor Robinson	Sr.
4	DS/L	Nina Holmes	Sr.
5	RS	Chloe Lamb	Jr.
6	DS/L	Emily Zimmerman	Jr.
7	L	Nicole Otero	Jr.
8	S	Larissa Focosi	Jr.
9	OH	Chloe Evering	So.
11	S/RS	Kelly Cameron	So.
12	OH/DS	Gilli Kalb	Fr.
14	OH	Diana Pinchuk	Fr.
16	OH	Lexi Shannon	Fr.
17	DS/OH	Gabrielle Hansen	Jr.
19	OH	Selah Malcolm	Fr.
20	MB	Courtney O'Connell	So.
23	MB	Danielle Tedesco	Fr.
34	OPP/MB	Akuabata Okenwa	R-So.

Leads all UAlbany rookies with 39 kills

Two-time Most Improved Player at Western High

Averaging 0.8 blocks per set, fifth in league with 16 total blocks

14th in America East with 2.4 digs per set in 2016

Missed most of 2016 with injury, led UAlbany rookies in kills in 2015 with 104

Serving specialist last season, playing in 61 sets with nine aces

Passed the career 1,000-dig mark vs. St. John's (9/1)

2015-16 NJCAA All-American setter at Iowa Western CC

2016 America East All-Rookie Team, second on team with 41 kills, 32 digs

Six-rotation player, switching between setter and right side

Led Westminster Academy (Fla.) to a district title in 2015

First-ever Niskayuna graduate to play Division I volleyball

Made collegiate debut vs. Colgate (9/2) in Desmond Hotel Invite

453 career digs, team's reserve libero

Helped Johns Creek High to 111-39 record in three years

Appeared in nine matches in 2016 with 27 kills and six blocks

Tied for second on the team with eight total blocks

Team leader in kills (55) and hitting percentage (.197)

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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 JOINS 1000-DIG CLUB

UAlbany's starting libero beginning in the 2015 season, Nicole Otero joined the 1,000-dig club on September 1st vs. St. John's, currently standing at 1,029. The two-time America East All-Conference Second Team libero and 2015 America East Defensive Specialist of the Year has averaged 4.8 digs per set in her collegiate career and had at least 475 digs in each of her first two years.

She also is 72 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 DESMOND HOTEL INVITE

Hosting its first tournament since 2009, UAlbany fell in three matches in the Desmond Hotel Invitational to St. John's in three, Colgate in four and Temple in three.

Nicole Otero earned a place on the All-Tournament Team with 37 digs as UAlbany's libero. Akuabata Okenwa tallied 20 kills while Chloe Evering concluded with 23 kills and 13 digs.



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State University of New York

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	154-112 (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	308-232
America East Record	146-52
America East Regular Season Titles	9
America East Championship Titles	6

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AMERICA EAST STANDINGS (9/5)

	Conf.	Overall
UAlbany	0-0	0-6
Binghamton	0-0	2-4
Hartford	0-0	0-6
New Hampshire	0-0	1-6
Stony Brook	0-0	3-4
UMBC	0-0	1-5
UMass Lowell	0-0	3-3

2017 AWARDS

Akuabata Okenwa

–America East Player of the Week 8/28

–USC/LMU All-Tournament Team

Nicole Otero

–Desmond Hotel Invite All-Tournament Team

2017 AE RANKINGS (TOP-10)

Kelly Cameron

–Assists Per Set (6.47): 7th

Nicole Otero

–Digs Per Set (3.70): 6th

Akuabata Okenwa

–Kills Per Set (2.75): 6th

Taylor Robinson

–Blocks Per Set (0.80): 5th

Team

–Hitting % (.113): 7th

–Opp. Hitting % (.290): 7th

–Kills Per Set (10.05): 6th

–Assists Per Set (8.95): 7th

–Blocks Per Set (1.30): 6th

–Aces Per Set (0.50): 7th

–Digs Per Set (12.45): 6th

SCOUTING THE OPPONENTS:

UConn is led in kills by redshirt sophomore outside hitter Kayla Williams with 75, adding 15 service aces and 55 digs. Senior outside hitter Kenya Cason has tallied 64 kills, eight aces, 46 digs and 10 blocks while junior setter Emma Turner has 203 assists and 30 digs.

Princeton has three players with over 30 kills each after its opening weekend, led by sophomore outside hitter Natasha Skov with 39, adding 17 digs. Junior middle Caroline Sklaver is the leader in blocks with 14, adding 37 kills, while sophomore middle blocker Maggie O'Connell has 33 kills and six blocks.

Leading the Villanova offense is junior middle blocker Amanda Pedersen-Henry, who hits .294 with 65 kills, each team-highs, plus 10 blocks. Senior outside hitter Allie Loitz, in four matches, has 44 kills and 31 digs while sophomore libero Regan Lough sports team-bests in digs with 78 and aces with 10.

LAST MEETINGS:

UAlbany and UConn met last season in the West Point Invitational, with the Great Danes earning a four-set win (25-15, 20-25, 25-19, 25-23). The victory was MJ Engstrom's 142nd win at UAlbany, tying the all-time wins mark in UAlbany's Division I history. Chloe Evering hit .371 in the match with 15 kills while Laini Leindecker had a double-double of 11 kills and 16 digs. For UConn, Kayla Williams hit .380 with 26 kills and 15 digs.

In a back-and-forth battle at the Marriott Cavalier Invitational in Virginia, UAlbany and Villanova pushed to five sets, with the Wildcats getting the victory over the Great Danes (21-25, 25-21, 19-25, 25-23, 9-15). Two Great Danes had double doubles in the match: Hillary White hit .345 with 17 kills and 13 digs while Kalyn Mostert hit .355 for 13 kills and 15 digs.

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.

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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	0-6
Total		89-19	154-112

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

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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	Akuabata Okenwa	R-So.	OPP/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	Akuabata Okenwa	R-So.	OPP/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

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PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Zoey Chilcote - CHILL-cot (silent e)

Larissa Focosi - fah-COE-see

Gilli Kalb - GILL-ee KALB

Selah Malcolm - SAY-lah

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 (2x, last: vs. Temple, 9/2/17)
 Assists: 1 (2x, last: @ USC, 8/26/17)
 Digs: 8 (vs. Colgate, 9/2/17)
 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 (3x, last: vs. Temple, 9/2/17)
 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: 7 (vs. Colgate, 9/2/17)
 Aces: 1 (5x, last: vs. St. John's, 9/1/17)
 Assists: 35 (@ UNLV, 8/26/16)
 Digs: 16 (@ UNLV, 8/26/16)
 Blocks: 3 (vs. Michigan, 8/25/17)

Season Highs

Kills: 7 (vs. Colgate, 9/2/17)
 Aces: 1 (vs. St. John's, 9/1/17)
 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: 1 (vs. Temple, 9/2/17)
 Blocks: N/A

Season Highs

Kills: N/A
 Aces: N/A
 Assists: N/A
 Digs: 1 (vs. Temple, 9/2/17)
 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: 3 (vs. Colgate, 9/2/17)
 Aces: N/A
 Assists: N/A
 Digs: N/A
 Blocks: 1 (vs. Colgate, 9/2/17)

#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: 1 (vs. Temple, 9/2/17)

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

Career Highs (UAlbany)

Kills: N/A
 Aces: 1 (vs. St. John's, 9/1/17)
 Assists: 14 (vs. Colgate, 9/2/17)
 Digs: 9 (vs. Colgate, 9/2/17)
 Blocks: N/A

Season Highs

Kills: N/A
 Aces: 1 (vs. St. John's, 9/1/17)
 Assists: 14 (vs. Colgate, 9/2/17)
 Digs: 9 (vs. Colgate, 9/2/17)
 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: 1 (vs. Colgate, 9/2/17)
 Assists: N/A
 Digs: 8 (vs. St. John's, 9/1/17)
 Blocks: N/A

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

Career Highs

Kills: 5 (2x, last: vs. Temple, 9/2/17)
 Aces: N/A
 Assists: N/A
 Digs: 1 (3x, last: vs. Temple, 9/2/17)
 Blocks: 3 (@ USC, 8/26/17)

Season Highs

Kills: 5 (2x, last: vs. Temple, 9/2/17)
 Aces: N/A
 Assists: N/A
 Digs: 1 (3x, last: vs. Temple, 9/2/17)
 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 (4x, last: vs. Temple, 9/2/17)
 Blocks: 6 (4x, last: vs. Michigan, 8/25/17)

Season Highs

Kills: 6 (2x, last: vs. St. John's, 9/1/17)
 Aces: 1 (vs. Michigan, 8/25/17)
 Assists: 1 (vs. Michigan, 8/25/17)
 Digs: 2 (vs. Temple, 9/2/17)
 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: 1 (vs. St. John's, 9/1/17)
 Assists: 1 (7x, last: vs. St. John's, 9/1/17)
 Digs: 9 (vs. Michigan, 8/25/17)
 Blocks: 3 (2x, last: @ Army, 9/17/16)

Season Highs

Kills: 11 (vs. Colgate, 9/2/17)
 Aces: 1 (vs. St. John's, 9/1/17)
 Assists: 1 (2x, last: vs. St. John's, 9/1/17)
 Digs: 9 (vs. Michigan, 8/25/17)
 Blocks: 1 (2x, last: vs. Colgate, 9/2/17)

#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: 1 (@ USC, 8/26/17)
 Digs: 8 (@ USC, 8/26/17)
 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)

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2017 TEAM HIGHS

Kills:

All matches:

46 - @ USC (8/26)
42 - vs. Colgate (9/2)
32 - @ Loyola Marymount (8/25)

3-set match:

32 - @ Loyola Marymount (8/25)
29 - vs. St. John's (9/1)
28 - vs. Michigan (8/25)

4-set match:

46 - @ USC (8/26)
42 - vs. Colgate (9/2)

5-set match:

Attack Percentage (K-E-TA)
.226 (46-18-124) - @ USC (8/26)
.123 (32-19-106) - @ Loyola Marymount (8/25)
.113 (28-17-97) - vs. Michigan (8/25)

Assists:

39 - vs. Colgate (9/2)
38 - @ USC (8/26)
30 - @ Loyola Marymount (8/25)

Digs:

All matches:

61 - vs. Colgate (9/2)
43 - vs. Michigan (8/25)
39 - @ USC (8/26) / @ Loyola Marymount (8/25)

3-set match:

43 - vs. Michigan (8/25)
39 - @ Loyola Marymount (8/25)
34 - vs. Temple (9/2)

4-set match:

61 - vs. Colgate (9/2)
39 - @ USC (8/26)

5-set match:

Aces:
3 - vs. Michigan (8/25)
3 - vs. St. John's (9/1)
1 - 4x

Blocks:

7 (2-10) - vs. Michigan (8/25)
6 (3-6) - vs. Colgate (9/2)
6 (1-10) - @ USC (8/26)

2017 INDIVIDUAL HIGHS

Kills:

All matches:

13 - Akuabata Okenwa (@ USC, 8/26)
11 - Akuabata Okenwa (vs. Michigan/@ LMU, 8/25)
11 - Tatiana Tiangco (@ USC, 8/26)
11 - Chloe Evering (vs. Colgate, 9/2)

3-set match:

11 - Akuabata Okenwa (vs. Michigan, 8/25)
11 - Akuabata Okenwa (@ Loyola Marymount, 8/25)
9 - Tatiana Tiangco (@ Loyola Marymount, 8/25)

4-set match:

13 - Akuabata Okenwa (@ USC, 8/26)
11 - Tatiana Tiangco (@ USC, 8/26)
11 - Chloe Evering (vs. Colgate, 9/2)

5-set match:

Attack Percentage (K-E-TA), minimum 12 kills:
.303 (13-3-33) - Akuabata Okenwa (@ USC, 8/26)

Assists:

32 - Kelly Cameron (@ USC, 8/26)
25 - Kelly Cameron (@ Loyola Marymount, 8/25)
22 - Kelly Cameron (vs. Colgate, 9/2)

Digs:

All matches:

22 - Nicole Otero (vs. Colgate, 9/2)
15 - Nicole Otero (vs. Michigan, 8/25)
13 - Nicole Otero (@ USC, 8/26)

3-set match:

15 - Nicole Otero (vs. Michigan, 8/25)
11 - Kelly Cameron (vs. Temple, 9/2)
9 - 3x

4-set match:

22 - Nicole Otero (vs. Colgate, 9/2)
13 - Nicole Otero (@ USC, 8/26)
8 - 2x

5-set match:

Aces:

1 (10x)

Blocks (Solo-Assist)

6 (2-4) - Taylor Robinson (vs. Michigan, 8/25)
3 (1-2) - Taylor Robinson (@ USC, 8/26)
3 (1-2) - Taylor Robinson (vs. Temple, 9/2)

2017 STATISTICAL LEADERS

KILLS

Akuabata Okenwa 55
Chloe Evering 41

HITTING PERCENTAGE (min. 60 attempts)

Akuabata Okenwa197
Chloe Evering091

ACES

Nicole Otero 2
Nina Holmes 2

ASSISTS

Kelly Cameron 123
Larissa Focosi 32

BLOCKS

Taylor Robinson 16
Akuabata Okenwa/Danielle Tedesco 8

DIGS

Nicole Otero 74
Chloe Evering/Kelly Cameron 32

2017 UALBANY SUPERLATIVES

UAlbany record when:

Overall: 0-6

- Home: 0-3
- Away: 0-2
- Neutral: 0-1

Conference: 0-0

- Home: 0-0
- Away: 0-0

Non-Conference: 0-6

- Home: 0-3
- Away: 0-2
- Neutral: 0-1

Following a Win: 0-0

Following a Defeat: 0-5

Longest Winning Streak: -

Longest Losing Streak: L-6

Current Streak: L-6

Set 1: 0-6

Set 2: 1-5

Set 3: 1-5

Set 4: 0-2

Set 5: 0-0

Three-Set Matches: 0-4

Four-Set Matches: 0-2

Five-Set Matches: 0-0

UAlbany Wins Set 1: 0-0

UAlbany Loses Set 1: 0-6

UAlbany Wins Set 2: 0-1

UAlbany Loses Set 2: 0-5

UAlbany Wins Set 3: 0-1

UAlbany Loses Set 3: 0-5

UAlbany Wins Set 4: 0-0

UAlbany Loses Set 4: 0-2

2017 UALBANY GREAT DANES VOLLEYBALL

2017 UAlbany Volleyball UAlbany Overall Individual Statistics (as of Sep 06, 2017) All matches

Overall record: 0-6 Conf: 0-0 Home: 0-3 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	20	6-6	55	2.75	27	142	.197	1	0.05	8	.125	0	0.00	2
9	EVERING,Chloe	20	6-6	41	2.05	26	165	.091	2	0.10	13	.154	1	0.05	10
1	TIANGCO,Tatiana	20	6-6	39	1.95	28	127	.087	3	0.15	8	.375	1	0.05	4
3	ROBINSON,Taylor	20	6-4	24	1.20	18	87	.069	1	0.05	13	.077	1	0.05	1
23	TEDESCO,Danielle	16	6-5	16	1.00	5	42	.262	0	0.00	0	.000	0	0.00	2
11	CAMERON,Kelly	19	6-5	16	0.84	12	60	.067	123	6.47	375	.328	1	0.05	2
20	O'CONNELL,Courtney	5	3-1	5	1.00	5	13	.000	0	0.00	0	.000	0	0.00	0
17	HANSEN,Gabrielle	20	6-2	4	0.20	1	17	.176	0	0.00	5	.000	1	0.05	2
8	FOCOSI,Larissa	11	4-1	1	0.09	2	10	-.100	32	2.91	140	.229	1	0.09	3
5	LAMB,Chloe	1	1-0	0	0.00	0	0	.000	0	0.00	0	.000	0	0.00	0
16	SHANNON,Lexi	2	2-0	0	0.00	1	2	-.500	0	0.00	0	.000	0	0.00	0
4	HOLMES,Nina	20	6-0	0	0.00	0	3	.000	2	0.10	13	.154	2	0.10	4
7	OTERO,Nicole	20	6-0	0	0.00	0	4	.000	15	0.75	91	.165	2	0.10	8
6	ZIMMERMAN,Emily	7	4-0	0	0.00	0	0	.000	0	0.00	0	.000	0	0.00	0
	UALBANY	20	6-6	201	10.0	125	672	.113	179	8.95	666	.269	10	0.50	38
	Opponents	20	6-6	282	14.1	90	663	.290	257	12.8	665	.386	40	2.00	48

#	Player	Dig				Blocking						Points	
		sp	re	dig	dig/s	bs	ba	total	blk/s	be	bhe	pts	pts/s
34	OKENWA,Akuabata	20	-	15	0.75	0	8	8	0.40	3	0	59.0	2.95
9	EVERING,Chloe	20	-	32	1.60	1	3	4	0.20	1	0	44.5	2.22
1	TIANGCO,Tatiana	20	-	14	0.70	0	1	1	0.05	2	0	40.5	2.03
3	ROBINSON,Taylor	20	-	4	0.20	5	11	16	0.80	4	0	35.5	1.77
11	CAMERON,Kelly	19	-	32	1.68	0	6	6	0.32	0	2	20.0	1.05
23	TEDESCO,Danielle	16	-	3	0.19	1	7	8	0.50	1	0	20.5	1.28
20	O'CONNELL,Courtney	5	-	0	0.00	0	1	1	0.20	1	0	5.5	1.10
17	HANSEN,Gabrielle	20	-	23	1.15	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	5.0	0.25
8	FOCOSI,Larissa	11	-	20	1.82	0	0	0	0.00	0	1	2.0	0.18
5	LAMB,Chloe	1	-	0	0.00	0	1	1	1.00	0	0	0.5	0.50
16	SHANNON,Lexi	2	-	1	0.50	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.0	0.00
7	OTERO,Nicole	20	-	74	3.70	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	2.0	0.10
6	ZIMMERMAN,Emily	7	-	0	0.00	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.0	0.00
4	HOLMES,Nina	20	-	31	1.55	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	2.0	0.10
-	TEAM	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	UALBANY.....	20	40	249	12.45	7	38	26.0	1.30	12	3	237.0	11.85
	Opponents.....	20	10	292	14.60	10	60	40.0	2.00	7	8	362.0	18.10

2016 UALBANY GREAT DANES VOLLEYBALL

2017 UAlbany Volleyball UAlbany Match-by-Match KILLS-ACES-DIGS-BLOCKS (as of Sep 06, 2017) All matches

Opponent	Date	Score	1 TIANGCO,Tati	3 ROBINSON,Ta	4 HOLMES,Nina	5 LAMB,Chloe	6 ZIMMERMAN,	7 OTERO,Nicole	8 FOCOSI,Lariss	9 EVERING,Chlo	11 CAMERON,Kel	16 SHANNON,Lex	17 HANSEN,Gabr
vs MICH	Aug 25	0-3 L	6-0-1-0	4-1-0-6	0-1-5-0	DNP	0-0-0-0	0-1-15-0	0-0-5-0	5-0-9-1	0-0-3-3	DNP	0-0-4-0
at LMU	Aug 25	0-3 L	9-0-6-0	1-0-0-1	0-0-4-0	DNP	0-0-0-0	0-1-9-0	DNP	7-0-8-0	1-0-6-0	DNP	1-0-2-0
at USC	Aug 26	1-3 L	11-1-0-1	6-0-1-3	0-0-6-0	DNP	0-0-0-0	0-0-13-0	DNP	6-0-2-1	3-0-6-0	DNP	2-0-3-0
SJU	Sep 01	0-3 L	5-0-0-0	6-0-1-1	0-0-5-0	DNP	DNP	0-0-9-0	0-1-2-0	8-1-4-1	2-1-1-1	DNP	0-0-8-0
COLGATE	Sep 02	1-3 L	6-0-5-0	5-0-0-3	0-0-8-0	DNP	DNP	0-0-22-0	0-0-9-0	11-0-7-1	7-0-5-1	0-0-0-0	0-1-4-0
TEMPLE	Sep 02	0-3 L	2-0-2-0	2-0-2-2	0-1-3-0	0-0-0-1	0-0-0-0	0-0-6-0	1-0-4-0	4-0-2-0	3-0-11-1	0-0-1-0	1-0-2-0

Opponent	Date	Score	20 O'CONNELL,C	23 TEDESCO,Dan	34 OKENWA,Aku
vs MICH	Aug 25	0-3 L	1-0-0-0	1-0-1-1	11-0-0-1
at LMU	Aug 25	0-3 L	DNP	2-0-1-2	11-0-3-2
at USC	Aug 26	1-3 L	DNP	5-0-0-3	13-0-8-3
SJU	Sep 01	0-3 L	DNP	2-0-0-1	6-0-3-0
COLGATE	Sep 02	1-3 L	3-0-0-1	1-0-0-1	9-0-1-2
TEMPLE	Sep 02	0-3 L	1-0-0-0	5-0-1-0	5-0-0-0

2017 UAlbany Volleyball UAlbany Team Match-by-Match Comparison (as of Sep 06, 2017) All matches

Date	Opponent	Score	Kills	Errors	TA	Hit%	Assists	SA	SE	RE	Digs	Blocks	BS	BA	BE	BHE
Aug 25, 2017	vs Michigan	0-3	28 / 47	17 / 20	97 / 114	.113 / .237	25 / 40	3 / 4	4 / 6	4 / 3	43 / 42	7.0 / 5.0	2 / 1	10 / 8	4 / 2	1 / 0
Aug 25, 2017	at LMU	0-3	32 / 40	19 / 14	106 / 108	.123 / .241	30 / 38	1 / 11	4 / 8	11 / 1	39 / 45	3.0 / 3.0	1 / 1	4 / 4	1 / 0	0 / 1
Aug 26, 2017	at USC	1-3	46 / 61	18 / 16	124 / 122	.226 / .369	38 / 56	1 / 8	11 / 15	8 / 1	39 / 52	6.0 / 6.0	1 / 1	10 / 10	1 / 1	0 / 1
Sep 01, 2017	ST. JOHN'S	0-3	29 / 43	18 / 10	113 / 90	.097 / .367	25 / 41	3 / 6	6 / 5	6 / 3	33 / 53	2.0 / 9.0	0 / 3	4 / 12	2 / 1	1 / 0
Sep 02, 2017	COLGATE	1-3	42 / 49	30 / 22	134 / 139	.090 / .194	39 / 42	1 / 7	7 / 9	7 / 1	61 / 52	6.0 / 6.0	3 / 2	6 / 8	2 / 1	1 / 3
Sep 02, 2017	TEMPLE	0-3	24 / 42	23 / 8	98 / 90	.010 / .378	22 / 40	1 / 4	6 / 5	4 / 1	34 / 48	2.0 / 11.0	0 / 2	4 / 18	2 / 2	0 / 3

Note: Match totals are displayed in the format TEAM/OPPONENT for each category

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#1 Titiana Tiangco



#2 Zoey Chilcote



#3 Taylor Robinson



#4 Nina Holmes



#5 Chloe Lamb



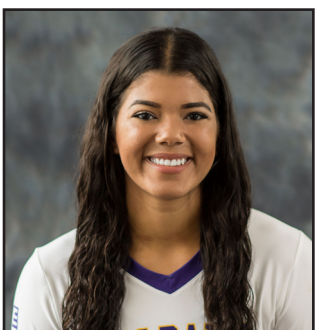
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#7 Nicole Otero



#8 Larissa Focosi



#9 Chloe Evering



#11 Kelly Cameron



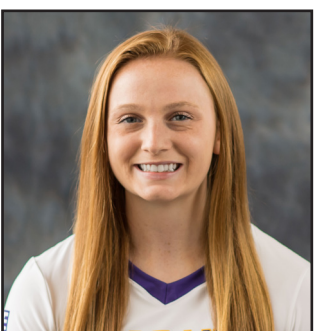
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#14 Diana Pinchuk



#16 Lexi Shannon



#17 Gabby Hansen



#19 Selah Malcolm



#20 Courtney O'Connell



#23 Danielle Tedesco



#34 Aqua Okenwa



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