Former Cortland Player Kevin Watters Advances to American Hockey League’s Binghamton Senators

Former SUNY Cortland ice hockey forward Kevin Watters (Pittsford) has signed a 25-game professional tryout agreement with the Binghamton Senators of the American Hockey League (AHL). Watters signed with the Senators on Jan. 7 and played in his first game the following night versus the Providence Bruins in Rhode Island.

The Senators signed Watters from the Adirondack Frostbite of the United Hockey League (UHL). In 34 games during his rookie season, Watters leads the Frostbite with 21 goals and is tied for second on the team with 39 points. He is second among UHL rookies in both categories and has been selected to compete in the UHL All-Star Classic in St. Charles, Mo., on Jan. 25.

Watters is the first Cortland hockey player to be part of an AHL team since goalie Mike Germain’s stint with the Rochester Americans in the mid-1990s.

In his senior season at Cortland in 2004-05, Watters recorded 15 goals and 15 assists in 25 games. His career total of 101 points (38 goals, 63 assists) ranks seventh in school history.

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