

ALUMNI SPOTLIGHT: KYLA NIEDER '14

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Kyla Nieder '14, Detective Sergeant at Brigham and Women's Hospital

SECURING A SUCCESSFUL CAREER

Kyla Nieder, Class of 2014, is the Detective Sergeant at Brigham and Women's Hospital in Boston, Massachusetts. She works to create a safe environment by assessing incoming threats and coming up with a response to best protect hospital patients and staff. In 2021, Kyla received the Meritorious Service Award for her dedication to the department. She says it's an honor to be able to protect and serve her community. "The various cases I have been able to solve that have in the end assisted in protecting employees and getting justice to victims have not only been a professional achievement but have also left me with a feeling of pride and purpose." She says being a female in a male-dominated profession has its challenges, but she knows she's making a difference in her role. "The struggles I face are worth overcoming because I know I am showing my daughter she can be anything she wants if she works hard for it."

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