

Featured Alumna: Jaimie MILLER, Class of 2013



Jaimie MILLER '13 knew no one when she moved to Houston from the East Coast the summer before her freshman year at Duchesne. In Connecticut, she had swum year-round with a club team and knew sports would be a great way to meet people. She opted to try field hockey, a sport she knew nothing about with a group of girls she knew nothing about. Both of those things quickly changed: she was welcomed by her fellow Chargers and some of those teammates are still her very best friends to this day. She learned the sport in time, but ultimately opted to return to swimming and swam for both Duchesne and the Dad's Club all four years of high school. She notes that the feeling of being welcomed as a new girl is not a typical High School experience, and a culture point of difference with Sacred Heart.

While swimming as a Duchesne Charger, she held almost every school swim record, and still holds two today: the 100m freestyle and 200m medley. Jaimie went on to swim for the College of William and Mary where she was a three-time collegiate MVP, and a 10-time conference champion. She qualified for the Olympic Trials in 2016.

Back on the East Coast, Jaimie knew she wanted to go into Finance and that lead her to New York, where she interned at Gilt Group the summer between her sophomore and junior year of college ("I was really interested in fashion, and all fashion companies/companies in general need in-house finance"). Like field hockey, Jaimie realized that corporate finance was not for her and that she'd be better suited for the more traditional financial industry. Her mentor at Gilt counseled her to get into an analyst group. After college, she joined Citi Bank in an analyst class of 100 people, a great transition from college to the working world and a parallel to her experience on athletic teams.

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Jaimie now lives and works in downtown Manhattan. She is a member of the Citi Bank Investment Management sales organization for North America. She is a CFA Charter holder and holds a FINRA Series 7 and 63 other licenses.

Jaimie attests that none of these achievements would be possible without her experience as an athlete, which started at Duchesne: “Being part of an athletic team throughout high school taught me how to be a teammate in every aspect of my life.”

Earlier this month, Jaimie was the keynote speaker at the Upper School Athletics Banquet and spoke in depth about the people that shaped her success. Read her full speech [here](#).