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- $1\ 00:00:00.000 \longrightarrow 00:00:03.859$  Hi, Class of 2020. This is Amy Bei.
- $2\ 00:00:03.859 \longrightarrow 00:00:05.759$  I wanted to wish you all.
- 3 00:00:05.759 --> 00:00:08.609 Congratulations on your graduation. We're all so proud of you.
- 4~00:00:08.609 --> 00:00:13.679 I'm sure when you came to us here at Yale is eager first year MPH students.
- $5\ 00:00:13.679 --> 00:00:16.850$  You had no idea that two years later you would
- $6~00:00:16.850 \longrightarrow 00:00:19.710$  be graduating in the midst of a global pandemic.
- $7\ 00:00:19.710 \longrightarrow 00:00:21.289$  And so while it's been
- $8\ 00:00:21.289 \longrightarrow 00:00:23.829$  a tough last year for all of us,
- $9\ 00:00:23.829 --> 00:00:31.469$  I hope that now more than ever you're convinced in the importance of the career that you've chosen and that you will go forth
- 10 00:00:31.469 --> 00:00:41.549 and continue to apply all the things that you've learned and your enthusiasm and your intelligence and your creativity to solving public health challenges around the world. We're so excited
- $11\ 00:00:41.549 --> 00:00:43.570$  to see what you do next.
- $12\ 00:00:43.570 --> 00:00:53.649$  I wanted to let you all know that you all hold a special place in my heart and in my Yale experience as you were the first cohort that I've
- $13\ 00:00:53.649 \longrightarrow 00:00:57.009$  been able to see go through from beginning to end.
- $14\ 00:00:57.009 --> 00:00:59.359$  And so I will always remember that,
- $15\ 00:00:59.359 --> 00:01:03.740$  and I've really enjoyed getting to know you in the classroom.
- 16 00:01:03.740 --> 00:01:05.549 In the laboratory, in the field,
- $17\ 00:01:05.549$  --> 00:01:11.290 and I've been so inspired by the work that you're doing and the passion with which you do it,
- $18\ 00:01:11.290 \dashrightarrow 00:01:13.709$  and I just wanted to congratulate you again,
- $19\ 00:01:13.709 \longrightarrow 00:01:16.420$  so we hope that you will stay in touch.
- 20 00:01:16.420 --> 00:01:24.799 We hope that you will come back and visit us and we look forward to hearing about the great things that you continue to do.