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Heather Pigman is a partner at Hollingsworth LLP in Washington, D.C. Her practice includes the defense of complex civil litigation, with a focus on class actions, consolidated proceedings and high-profile litigation involving toxic tort, pharmaceutical, and other product liability-related claims. Heather also has substantial experience presenting, defending, and preparing expert witnesses in highly specialized fields, including multiple scientific disciplines. She routinely works with cross-disciplinary teams to formulate and coordinate medical and scientific defenses for large scale litigation matters. As a part of her medical and scientific endeavors, she regularly reviews various medical and scientific journals to identify potential litigation issues of interest to her clients.

Heather will tell anyone who asks (and often those who don't) that her amazing experience at UCF (and particularly in what was then the UCF Honors Program) fostered a never-ending intellectual curiosity and desire to learn about new things that extend far beyond her B.A. in History, *summa cum laude*. After UCF, she earned her juris doctorate degree from The American University, Washington College of Law in 1997, *summa cum laude*. When not practicing law, Heather enjoys wearing her UCF gear to photograph wildlife around the world, and spending time with family and friends in Florida and the D.C. area. To help others have their own life-changing UCF experiences, Heather created the Collins/Pigman Family Endowed Scholarship Fund