

# EXHIBIT 8

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

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STUDENTS FOR FAIR ADMISSIONS, )  
 INC., )  
 Plaintiff, )  
 vs. ) Civil Action No.  
 ) 1:14-cv-14176-ADB  
 PRESIDENT AND FELLOWS OF )  
 HARVARD COLLEGE (HARVARD )  
 CORPORATION), )  
 Defendant. )  
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DEPOSITION OF BROCK WALSH  
Los Angeles, California  
Wednesday, June 28, 2017

Reported By:  
SUSAN A. SULLIVAN, CSR #3522, RPR, CRR  
Job No. 125864

1 (Deposition resumed at 12:58 p.m.)

2 BY MR. CONNOLLY:

3 Q When you were an admissions officer and you  
4 would review a student's file would you assign a  
5 student a score in a personal category?

6 A Yes.

7 Q How would you calculate that score?

8 MR. DULBERG: Objection.

9 THE WITNESS: I would like to take into  
10 consideration whatever relevant information I had  
11 were that his essay, her essay, her interview, and  
12 the opinions about that applicant as expressed by  
13 others.

14 Q BY MR. CONNOLLY: And what were you  
15 ultimately trying to decide when assigning a  
16 personal rating?

17 MR. DULBERG: Objection.

18 THE WITNESS: Whether that student would  
19 contribute to the class, classroom, roommate group,  
20 to the class as a whole, their human qualities.

21 Q BY MR. CONNOLLY: Can you give me some  
22 examples of some types of things you would see in an  
23 application that might help you make that  
24 determination?

25 MR. DULBERG: Objection.

## 1 REPORTER'S CERTIFICATE

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3 I, SUSAN A. SULLIVAN, CALIFORNIA CSR No.  
4 3522, RPR, CRR, do hereby certify:

5 That prior to being examined BROCK WALSH,  
6 the witness named in the foregoing deposition, was,  
7 before the commencement of the deposition, duly  
8 administered an oath in accordance with C.C.P.  
9 Section 2094;

10 That the said deposition was taken before  
11 me at the time and place therein set forth, and was  
12 taken down by me in shorthand and thereafter  
13 transcribed into typewriting under my direction and  
14 supervision; that the said deposition is a true and  
15 correct record of the testimony given by the  
16 witness;

17 I further certify that I am neither counsel  
18 for, nor in any way related to any party to said  
19 action, nor in any way interested in the outcome  
20 thereof.

21 IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have subscribed my  
22 name on this 5th day of July, 2017.

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25 SUSAN A. SULLIVAN, CSR