

UNIVERSAL CORP /VA/
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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 Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Moore David C (Last) (First) (Middle) 1501 NORTH HAMILTON STREET (Street) RICHMOND, VA 23230 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 05/11/2006	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol UNIVERSAL CORP /VA/ [UVV]	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below) (specify below) Vice President & CAO	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	6,869 ⁽¹⁾	D	^
Common Stock-ESPP	7,839 ⁽²⁾	I ⁽²⁾	Employee Stock Purchase Plan ⁽²⁾

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. SEC 1473 (7-02)

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Phantom stock units 1 for 1	Â (3)	Â (3)	Common Stock	9 (3)	\$ (3)	D	Â
Options to buy Common Stock (4)	06/05/2003	12/05/2012	Common Stock	22,500	\$ 35.67	D	Â
Options to buy Common Stock (4)	12/31/2005	05/23/2015	Common Stock	6,000	\$ 46.34	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Moore David C 1501 NORTH HAMILTON STREET RICHMOND,Â VAA 23230	Â	Â	Â Vice President & CAO	Â

Signatures

Terri L. Marks, Power of Attorney for David C. Moore
05/15/2006

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Includes 1,500 restricted stock units. The restricted stock units vest on the fifth anniversary of the award date, however, payment will be delayed until termination of service if individual is a covered employee under Code Section 162(m) on the date of vesting.
- (2) shares held in the Employee Stock Purchase Plan
- (3) the phantom stock units were acquired under the ULT Supplemental Stock Purchase Plan on a periodic basis during the fiscal year ended March 31, 2006. Each phantom until will be settled in cash upon the earlier of death, disability, retirement or termination of employment.
- (4) options issued under the Executive Stock Plan

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