

TAYLOR WILLIAM L
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FORM 5

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ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
TAYLOR WILLIAM L

(Last) (First) (Middle)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
UNIVERSAL CORP /VA/ [UVV]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

1501 N HAMILTON STREET

(Street)

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year)
03/31/2005

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
Vice President & CAO

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting

(check applicable line)

RICHMOND, VA 23230

Form Filed by One Reporting Person
 Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	03/31/2005	Â	I	684 ⁽¹⁾ A \$ ⁽¹⁾ 29,551 ⁽¹⁾		D	Â
Common Stock -ESPP	03/31/2005	Â	I	553 ⁽²⁾ A \$ ⁽²⁾ 3,613		I ⁽³⁾	Employee stock purchase plan

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
phantom stock units 1 for 1 ⁽⁴⁾	Â	03/31/2005	Â	A	495	Â	Â ⁽⁴⁾	Â ⁽⁴⁾	Common Shares	495
Options to buy common stock ⁽⁵⁾	\$ 43.08	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	06/17/2004	12/02/2009	Common Stock	26,230
Options to buy common stock ⁽⁵⁾	\$ 47.28	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	12/17/2004	12/02/2009	Common Stock	20,582
Options to buy common stock ⁽⁵⁾	\$ 47.28	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	12/17/2004	11/20/2007	Common Stock	43,296
Options to buy common stock ⁽⁵⁾	\$ 48.21	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	06/17/2005	12/15/2007	Common Stock	1,962
Options to buy common stock ⁽⁵⁾	\$ 48.21	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	06/17/2005	12/05/2012	Common Stock	61,686
Options to buy common stock ⁽⁵⁾	\$ 48.21	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	06/17/2005	12/02/2009	Common Stock	8,228

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
TAYLOR WILLIAM L 1501 N HAMILTON STREET RICHMOND, VA 23230	Â	Â	Â Vice President & CAO	Â

Signatures

Terri L. Marks, Power of Attorney for William L. Taylor 04/20/2005

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(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 684 shares previously owned in the stock purchase plan
- (2) includes 553 shares acquired from 4/1/04 through 3/31/05 in the stock purchase plan
- (3) shares held in the stock purchase plan
- (4) the phantom stock units were acquired under the ULT supplemental stock purchase plan on a periodic basis during the fiscal year ended March 31, 2005. Each phantom unit will be settled in cash upon the earlier of death, disability, retirement or termination of employment.
- (5) options issued under the executive stock plan

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