SHEEHAN JEREMIAH J

Form 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

Common

Stock

08/10/2012

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SHEEHAN JEREMIAH J			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol UNIVERSAL CORP /VA/ [UVV]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	Middle) 3.]	. Date of	Earliest Ti		(Check all applicable)			
9201 FOREST HILL AVENUE			(Month/Day/Year) 08/10/2012			_X_ Director Officer (give below)	e title Other below)		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
RICHMOND, VA 23235			Filed(Month/Day/Year)			Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-I	Derivative Securities Acq	quired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Date, if	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

Code V Amount

2,000

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

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Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

24,912 (1)

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(A)

(D)

Price

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

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)			Transaction Derivative Code Securities		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Options to buy common stock (2)	\$ 35.81	08/10/2012		M		2,000	04/23/2003	10/23/2012	Common Stock	2,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
SHEEHAN JEREMIAH J 9201 FOREST HILL AVENUE RICHMOND, VA 23235	X					

Signatures

Jeremiah J. Sheehan, by Terri L. Marks, Power of Attorney

08/13/2012

Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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- * 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 9,650 Restricted stock; 5,100 restricted stock units and 199 dividend units earned on the restricted stock units. Also includes 7,000 direct and 2,063 held in the dividend reinvestment plan.
- (2) options issued under Universal Corporation's 2002 Executive Stock Plan for non-employee directors

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