

Riggs Thomas E  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Riggs Thomas E		(Month/Day/Year)	UNIVERSAL TECHNICAL INSTITUTE INC [UTI]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	07/06/2009	
20410 N. 19TH AVE, STE 200			4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
(Street)			(Check all applicable)	
PHOENIX, AZ 85027			<input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person
			(give title below) (specify below)	<input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
			SVP Campus Operations	

**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, \$0.0001 par value	16,407	D	

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 Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	

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				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Stock Option (Right To Buy)	06/15/2007	06/15/2016	Common Stock, \$0.0001 par value	11,000	\$ 23.25	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right To Buy)	02/28/2008	02/28/2017	Common Stock, \$0.0001 par value	2,800	\$ 23.63	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right To Buy)	06/03/2009	06/03/2015	Common Stock, \$0.0001 par value	25,900	\$ 12.75	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right To Buy)	07/05/2006	07/05/2015	Common Stock, \$0.0001 par value	6,000	\$ 32.7	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Riggs Thomas E 20410 N. 19TH AVE STE 200 PHOENIX, AZ 85027	Â	Â	Â SVP Campus Operations	Â

## Signatures

/s/ Thomas E. Riggs 07/09/2009

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).

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