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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Crain Richard

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 UNIVERSAL TECHNICAL INSTITUTE INC [UTI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 16220 N. SCOTTSDALE ROAD, SUITE 100
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 11/15/2011

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
 SVP, Marketing and Strategy

SCOTTSDALE, AZ 85254

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 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 Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|---|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Price | | | |
| | | | | Code | V | Amount | | |
| Common Stock, \$0.0001 par value | 11/15/2011 | | M | 157 ⁽¹⁾ | A | \$ 14.37 | 40,025 | D |
| Common Stock, \$0.0001 par value | 11/15/2011 | | F | 50 ⁽²⁾ | D | \$ 14.37 | 39,975 | D |

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

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- (3) Amount reduced by the unearned performance shares forfeited due to UTI's relative total shareholder return as measured on September 30, 2011.

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