2U, Inc. Form 4 April 15, 2014

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* MAEDER PAUL A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Issuer

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Last)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

\_X\_\_ Director

10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title

C/O 2U, INC., 8201 CORPORATE

(Street)

(First)

DRIVE

(Month/Day/Year)

04/11/2014

2U, Inc. [TWOU]

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Check all applicable)

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

below)

LANDOVER, MD 20785

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock (1)	04/11/2014		A	1,932 (2)	A	\$ 12.94 (3)	1,932	D	
Common Stock (1)	04/11/2014		A	3,864 (4)	A	\$ 0	5,796	D	
Common Stock							3,543,165	I	By funds (5) (6)

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. Transacti 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.94	04/11/2014		A	7,389	<u>(7)</u>	04/11/2024	Common Stock	7,389

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
MAEDER PAUL A C/O 2U, INC. 8201 CORPORATE DRIVE LANDOVER, MD 20785	X					

## **Signatures**

/s/ Brian F. Leaf, Attorney-in-fact 04/15/2014

\*\*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) The security represents restricted stock units granted to the reporting person. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock of the issuer.
- (2) The shares underlying this restricted stock unit award will vest in full on April 1, 2015, subject to the reporting person's continued service as a director of the issuer as of that date.
- (3) The restricted stock units were issued to the reporting person in lieu of annual director retainer fees of \$25,000.
- (4) The restricted stock unit award will vest as to one-third of the underlying shares on each of April 1, 2015, 2016 and 2017, subject to the reporting person's continued service as a director of the issuer as of the applicable vesting date.

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- The total consists of (i) 2,178,336 shares held by Highland Capital Partners VII, Limited Partnership ("Highland VII"), (ii) 527,852 shares held by Highland Capital Partners VII-B, Limited Partnership ("Highland VII-B"), (iii) 768,720 shares held by Highland Capital Partners VII-C, Limited Partnership ("Highland VII-C") and (iv) 68,257 shares held by Highland Entrepreneurs' Fund VII, Limited Partnership ("Highland Entrepreneurs" and, together with Highland VII-B and Highland VII-C, the "Funds").
- Highland Management Partners VII, Limited Partnership ("HMP LP") is the general partner of each of the Funds. Highland Management
  Partners VII, LLC ("HMP LLC") is the general partner of HMP LP. The reporting person is one of the managing members of HMP LLC.
  The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities held by the Funds, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- (7) The option award will vest as to one-third of the underlying shares on each of April 1, 2015, 2016 and 2017, subject to the reporting person's continued service with the issuer as of the applicable vesting date.

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