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

SCHEDULE 13D

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No. 5)

ACADIA REALTY TRUST (Name of Issuer)

COMMON SHARES OF BENEFICIAL INTEREST, \$.001 PAR VALUE (Title of Class of Securities)

004239 10 9 (CUSIP Number of Class of Securities)

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NOVEMBER 10, 2004

(Date of Event which Requires Filing Statement on Schedule 13D)

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AMENDMENT NO. 5 TO SCHEDULE 13D

The statement on Schedule 13D (the "Statement") filed on September 25, 2002, as amended by Amendment Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 thereto filed on March 23, 2004, March 26, 2004, March 31, 2004 and November 9, 2004, respectively, relating to the common shares of beneficial interest, par value \$.001 per share (the "Common Shares") of Acadia Realty Trust, a Maryland real estate investment trust (the "Trust"), is hereby amended and supplemented as set forth below in this Amendment No. 5 to the Statement by Yale University, a Connecticut corporation (the "Reporting Person"). Capitalized terms used below and not otherwise defined herein shall have the meaning set forth in the Statement, as so amended.

ITEM 4. PURPOSE OF TRANSACTION

The disclosure in Item 4 is hereby amended and supplemented by adding the following:

"On November 10, 2004, the Underwriters acquired 954,225 Common Shares from the Reporting Person and 45,775 Common Shares from YURPSE at the Offering Price less the Underwriting Discount, pursuant to the closing under the November Underwriting Agreement."

ITEM 5. INTEREST IN SECURITIES OF THE ISSUER

The disclosure in Item $5\,\text{(a)}$ is hereby amended and restated to read in its entirety as follows:

"(a) The Reporting Person beneficially owns, within the meaning of Rule 13d-3 under the Exchange Act, 3,634,367 Common Shares. The Common Shares owned by the Reporting Person constitute approximately 12.4% of the Common Shares issued and outstanding (computed on the basis of 29,299,224 Common Shares issued and outstanding, as reported in the Trust's Prospectus Supplement, dated November 4, 2004, to the Prospectus dated March 29, 2000, Prospectus dated May 14, 2003 and Prospectus dated March 19, 2004 filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on November 8, 2004)."

The disclosure in Item $5\,(b)$ is hereby amended and restated to read in its entirety as follows:

"(b) The Reporting Person has sole power to dispose of 3,468,006 Common Shares and shared power to direct the disposition of 166,361 Common Shares held of record by YURPSE. YURPSE has shared power to direct the disposition of 166,361 Common Shares.

The Reporting Person has sole power to vote 3,468,006 Common Shares and shared power to direct the vote of 166,361 Common Shares held of record by YURPSE. YURPSE has shared power to direct the vote of 166,361 Common Shares.

The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the Common Shares held by ${\tt YURPSE."}$

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SIGNATURE

After due inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: November 10, 2004

YALE UNIVERSITY

By: /s/ David F. Swensen

Name: David F. Swensen
Title: Chief Investment Officer

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