



THAMMASAT UNIVERSITY

Thailand / Bangkok

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Country / City: Thailand / Bangkok

Completion: 2019

Capacity: 3,500 seats

Usage: Education

Technology



**Over Stage
Engineering**

Overview

J&C Joel was appointed by S&T Powertronics Co, Ltd to supply motorised tracks, stage masking drapes and front of house drapes for the main theatre at Thammasat University.

Thammasat University is Thailand's second-oldest university. Furthermore, its primary mission is to provide higher education in the disciplines of law and politics. The University also prepares Thai citizens for their democratic system.

The University's theatre features a 40m-wide proscenium. Therefore, J&C Joel recommended two heavy-duty UniBeam track systems to cover the full width. Each system was driven by a T Drive motor at each end. J&C Joel synchronised the motors onto a wireless pendant, so they were able to work as one bi-parting system.

In addition, J&C Joel provided six stage legs and three borders. For the masking drapes, Wool Serge 565 fabric was selected due to its excellent masking and blackout qualities. The team manufactured the drapes with 25% fullness to help hang evenly and to improve the acoustic properties.

For the Front of House, J&C Joel supplied a pair of drapes. Each drape measured 20.5m wide with an 11m drop. Additionally, the team supplied a decorative border measuring 42m wide by a 3m drop.

These drapes were manufactured from J&C Joel's Coliseum Velour (500gsm, IFR) in burgundy. A 500gsm IFR fabric from the West End collection.

Furthermore, the drapes were pleated at 75% fullness to complement the size of the venue. All of the drapes produced were sewn and hung for inspection, by the J&C Joel team in Vietnam.



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