



Seating for Education, Theatre and Sports Venues



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PUBLIC SEATING SYSTEMS

About Us

At Hussey Seatway we design and manufacture retractable and fixed seating solutions for education, sport, theatre and entertainment venues. We create custom engineered seating systems to suit all budgets and transform rooms, halls and arenas into multi-purpose facilities. Based in the UK, we service worldwide markets with high quality, innovative seating solutions. Our joint venture partner is Hussey Seating Company of Maine, USA, the world's best known producer of telescopic seating.

Our Process

Whether your requirement is for a gymnasium bleacher or a high end, bespoke theatre installation we are able to utilise our expertise in order to meet your exact requirements. At the enquiry stage a no obligation consultancy service is offered by our experienced sales team, this will result in the provision of detailed quotations and CAD drawings. We are BIM level 2 compliant and offer a range of configurable Revit families for our seating products. Each project we undertake is unique and therefore we provide a full design, project management and installation package. Following installation, we have a skilled service and maintenance team on hand to ensure the ongoing safe and efficient operation of the seating over its lifetime.

Our reputation has been built on great quality products and exceptional levels of customer service. This is integral to the Hussey Seatway culture.





Hussey Seatway is one of the UK's leading suppliers of seating products for the education market.

Whether the requirement is for retractable seating that creates the multi-purpose use of space, or for a fixed lecture style arrangement, the flexibility and ease of operation of our products will enable you to maximise the use of your facility.

Each project is designed to meet specific budgetary requirements and our products deliver low lifetime costs.

Heath School, Runcorn, UK
Maxam+ with Centura Chair



Gatehouse School, London, UK
Seatway TP with Club Bench



Hampton Gardens Secondary School, Peterborough, UK
Seatway TP with Club Bench



Sosu College, Brondby, Denmark
Seatway TP with Decra Chair



The International School of Macao, Taipa, Macao
Maxam+ with Club Bench



Chobham Academy, Stratford, UK - Seatway TP with Sports Bench



St Pauls School, Brisbane, Australia - Seatway TP with Gallery 3 Chair

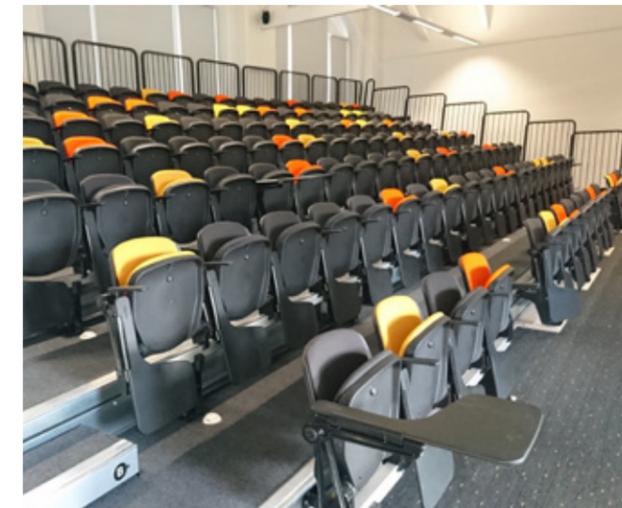


Example of **Scribe tablet**

Hussey Seatway lecture seating encompasses a range of economic and robust products that have been specifically designed for education and training institutions.

Our LT fixed system features a continuous writing ledge that can be installed onto existing tiering or we can supply a fixed substructure where required.

The Scribe tablet is an individual foldaway writing surface which is designed for retractable or fixed applications. This product is compatible for use with the Centura and Decra chair ranges.



Goldsmiths College, London, UK
Maxam+ with Centura Chair & Scribe tablet



Royal Holloway University, London, UK
Seatway TP with Decra Chair & Scribe tablet



Abraham Darby, Telford, UK
LT System with Centura Chair



Q3 Academy, Great Barr, UK
LT System with Centura Chair



Spinney Theatre, Northampton, UK
Seatway TP with Arts Chair

Hussey Seatway have completed numerous installations within the theatre and performing arts sector. We offer high specification, innovative products that provide exceptional levels of finish to the end user.

Our Seatway TP retractable platforms have been developed in the UK specifically for use in facilities where silent, rigid platforms with a high level of finish and comfortable theatre chairs are a key requirement.

The Hussey Seatway team are always keen to take on the most challenging design led projects and as a result we have installed seating systems at many prestigious venues.



Ebert Room at Glyndebourne Opera House, Lewes, UK
Seatway TP with Twin Seat



Spratton Hall Theatre, Northants, UK
Seatway TP with Gallery 3 chair



University of the Arts, London, UK
Seatway TP with Gallery Extra Chair



Lower Columbia High School, Washington, USA
Quattro Fixed Chair



Library of Birmingham Studio Theatre, Birmingham, UK - Seatway TP with Gallery Extra Chair

The Hussey brand is synonymous with high quality seating products for sporting applications and our Maxam product range is regarded as being the market leader in this sector.

Hussey Seatway retractable seating provides sports facilities with the flexibility and functionality required on a daily basis. At the touch of a button a sports hall can be rapidly transformed into a seated venue.

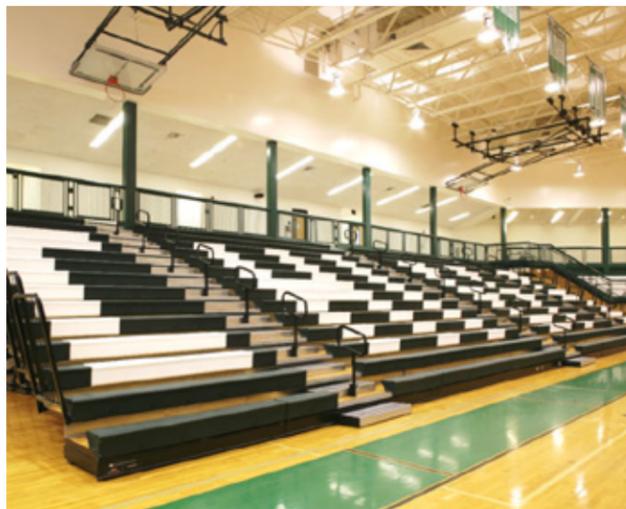
We also provide a range of fixed seating solutions whether it is for stadia or swimming pool environments. Additionally our Maxam 24 rollaway systems provide the perfect seating choice when small banks of portable seating are required.



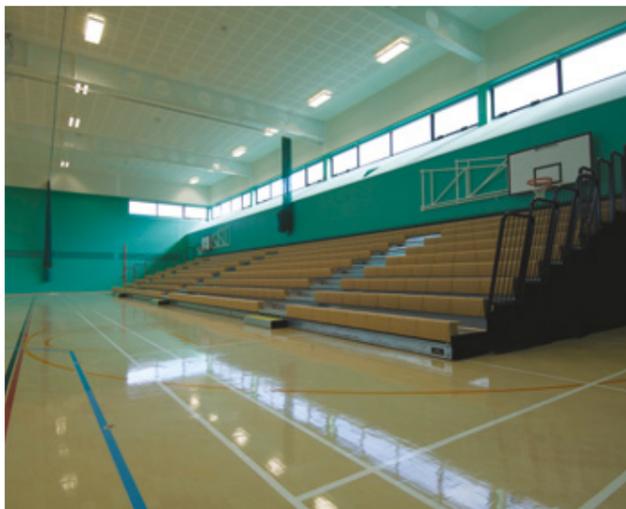
University of Bath, Bath, UK
Maxam with Courtside Bench



University of Bath, Bath, UK
Maxam with Courtside Bench



McIntosh Chiefs, Georgia, USA
Maxam with Courtside Bench



Bideford College, Bideford, UK
Maxam with Courtside Bench



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Chairs

All chairs from our range are available in **Retractable, Fixed & Flat Floor** formats.

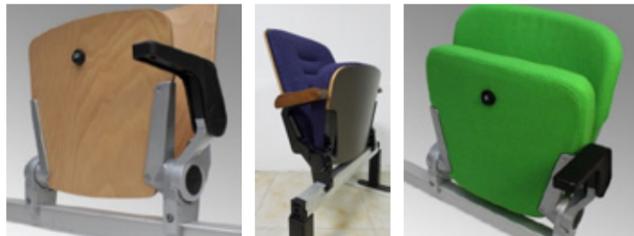
Metro – The Metro chair is intended to meet the growing need for modern, comfortable mass seating applications in arenas and sports facilities. The polymer modules are available in 19 standard colours.



Centura – A versatile, durable and cost effective chair option that is ideal for education or sports environments. The modern design incorporates a rail based attachment enabling flexible seating layouts. Centura is available with upholstered pads, writing tablets and cupholders.



Decra - A high specification, executive level chair perfect for corporate and teaching environments. The design provides correct posture and excellent levels of comfort. Decra can be specified in a range of wood veneers or upholstered in a variety of fabrics.



Gallery 3 – The Gallery 3 chair features a refined design, slim closed profile and exceptional levels of detailing. The chair has been developed for use in theatre and performing arts venues on the Hussey Seatway TP retractable platform system. Available with plastic, wood or upholstered armrests and show wood panels to enhance the specification.



Gallery 3 Extra – A high specification, luxurious version of our Gallery 3 chair. Ergonomically designed featuring a fully contoured backrest with generous seat foams for additional comfort during longer events. For Retractable applications the chair requires a minimum row rise of 300mm.



Arts – The Arts chair is an elegant and contemporary auditorium seating product. Ergonomic comfort and beautiful sculptural lines are just a few of the features that set the Arts chair apart from the rest. The chair features solid wood armrests as standard with optional show wood panels.



Twin Seat – Designed specifically for the Ebert Room at Glyndebourne Opera House project, the chair features a tip up two seat module.



Quattro – A traditional auditorium chair designed for use in facilities where a high level of comfort is a key requirement. The chair is easily customisable in a range of standard options and finishes enabling customers to tailor the product to their specific needs.



Benches

Courtside – An ergonomically designed seat module that is typically specified for Sports venues. Made from 100% recyclable materials, its polymer construction provides it with durable credentials. Available with upholstered or plastic backrests for additional comfort.



Classic Wood – A traditional robust pine bench that is perfect for sporting applications.



Sports Bench - A cost effective upholstered bench and backrest seating solution. The product offers flexible seating configurations and is well suited for any venue looking to maximise capacity. The backrest is designed to be folded effortlessly onto the platform and also features a steel protection frame for long term durability.



Club Bench – A premium offering that features a generous seat base and a full height backrest making it the ideal choice for studio theatres and performance spaces. The bench incorporates an integral front fascia panel that can be specified in a range of laminates or wood veneers.



Retractable Platforms

Seatway TP – The pioneering spaceframe concept behind the Seatway TP system features a fully welded platform structure, rather than a set of components bolted together. This leads to a rigid, quiet structure and as a result has become the acknowledged industry method for producing high quality retractable seating systems. The system has full adjustability to compensate for any deviances in the floor allowing it to operate at its optimum in any venue. Available in varying row rises and depths to optimise sight lines and maximise the use of space.

Maxam – The Maxam Systems are regarded as one of the most reliable and robust retractable systems in the industry. Designed for heavy usage areas such as schools, sporting venues and arenas, the Maxam tiered bleachers are cost effective and significantly enhance the audience experience.

Both systems comply with EN 1090-2 and are CE marked.

Accessories

Hussey Seatway offer a range of accessories that both complement and enhance the retractable seating platforms, a selection of these have been listed below but please contact our sales team for further information.

Aisle Illumination

We offer multiple solutions to enable the access steps on our system to be clearly visible to enable the safe egress onto and off our seating units. EcoGlo photo luminescent strips are self-charging nosings that are easily installed into our aisle trims, they are cost effective and provide a durable solution. We also offer LED aisle lights that can emit light forwards or directly onto the platform below, this is a great solution for theatres as they are available with dimming switches to ensure performers are not distracted.

Electronic Partial Opening

We understand the flexible nature of the multipurpose spaces in which our retractable systems are installed. Our electronic partial opening allows the end user at the flick of a switch to select the desired number of rows, therefore offering the ability to alter capacity depending on the requirement of the event. This feature is available with our Seatway TP system.

USB Power Supplies

We have developed integrated USB power supplies that can be installed to all of our Seatway TP and Maxam Plus systems, they are discretely mounted on the deck with a recommendation of one double socket per two seat places. This feature is particularly popular with our University clients.

Electrical Safety Sensors

Leading the retractable seating industry with cutting edge research we have developed a safety sensor system which detects the presence of a person or obstruction when the seating unit is opening/closing and will automatically stop the system in this event.

Removable Seating (Logix Chairs)

Logix flat floor seating allows any choice of Hussey Seatway chair to be arranged in formatted rows on the floor. The Logix system is lightweight, robust and easy to set.

Ideal for arena's and multipurpose facilities that require flexible seating arrangements, the automatic tipping mechanism of the seat leads to a narrower folded envelope than a conventional stacking chair therefore enabling capacity to be maximised.

The system is quick and easy to set up with floor bars laid directly on the floor surface and no need for fixings. Gangs of up to four chairs are then inserted into the floorbars, once in place seats are held firmly in position so the potential row 'snaking' is eliminated.

After use, the system can be quickly demounted and stored onto lightweight storage trolleys or stillage's.



Rollaway Seating

Maxam 24 - A mobile tiered seating unit that provides a simple to use, rugged and very flexible seating system for school and sports halls. Designed and manufactured in the UK the units can be set alongside a larger installation of Maxam retractable seating or used as a stand alone item in a variety of layouts.



Stacking & Folding Chairs

Clarín Portable Chair - The highest quality portable folding seating, the chairs feature a double rolled steel frame with a fully upholstered seat and back. The chairs fold to a depth of just 85mm for efficient storage.



Stax - A stacking chair comprising of a one piece moulded polypropylene gas injected shell and a durable steel rod frame finished in chrome as standard. Stax is available with optional seat and backrest pads in a range of fabrics.



Mesh One - A revolutionary portable folding chair incorporating breathable elastomeric supporting mesh panels that conform to each individual's unique body shape. Mesh One offers incredible durability and comfort in a light weight and compact package. It is suitable for any venue where flexible seating with long term comfort, fast effortless setting/striking and minimising storage area are essential requirements.



HDS - A premium fully upholstered, freestanding chair that can be stacked onto trolleys for transportation and storage. The chair features an integral linking device as standard. Options can include writing tablets and steel floorbars.



We offer a comprehensive after sales package that includes annual servicing, replacement parts, emergency call outs, upgrades and refurbishments as well as ongoing staff training.

Service & Maintenance

In order to keep your retractable seating systems working efficiently it is essential that you maintain an annual service with our team of highly skilled service engineers. All of our experienced site team are fully trained on all our products as well as other manufacturers seating systems, they hold relevant health & safety qualifications, ensuring the highest and safest level of workmanship.

Emergency Call Out

We provide a 24/7 helpline to assist clients with solving any problems onsite. We can offer an emergency callout service that deals with any problems or breakdowns in the unlikely case they should occur. We pride ourselves on being able to respond to call outs quickly and efficiently, to ensure that any inconvenience to the customer is minimised.



Warranty

Our Seatway TP and Maxam retractable systems are sold with a 10 year warranty as standard. These warranties are only valid if equipment is serviced annually by fully trained Hussey Seatway engineers.

Upgrades

To reduce setting and striking times, an upgrade can convert manual units to electrically powered systems for single person operation. Our service team can also advise whether removable rails can be replaced with either integrated self-storing or folding rails. Other upgrades available include EcoGlo aisle trim, LED lights, USB power sockets and electrical safety sensors.

Refurbishment & Replacement Parts

Our service team offer a variety of refurbishment packages which will allow you to modernise your existing seating. We are able to re-upholster or totally replace existing benches and chairs, re-carpet your platforms and fit new aisle nosings, all of which will visibly enhance the appearance of your current seating system.

We are able to provide replacement parts which will ensure that your system meets current regulation and guarantees the safety of the audience at all times.



Training

We provide full training when a new system is purchased as retractable seating must only be operated by trained personnel. However during the lifetime of the system, with staff changes, you may have a requirement for additional training which we can provide as part of our service package.

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