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## Loy Krathong Festival

Thammasat University organized the "Loy Krathong Festival 2008" at the Rangsit Campus during November 11-12, 2008. As part of extra-curricular activities, SIIT students, led by **Mr. Pakpoom Patompak** (The President of the SIIT Student Committee) and **Mr. Surat Phinhongthong**, participated in the Krathong competition. This year, **Ms. Thapatch Suwanphaitoon**, a first-year student, was the SIIT representative participating in the "Nang Noppamas" beauty queen contest and she was awarded the "Second Runner-up Beauty Queen" and the "Miss Popular Vote" among more than 40 candidates. **Associate Professor Dr. Ruengsak Kawtummachai**, the Assistant Director for Student Affairs, participated in this festival as the representative of the Director of SIIT.

In the evening of November 12, 2008, the Student Affairs Division of SIIT organized an activity on "Design & Decorate My Krathong 2008" on the ground floor of the SIIT Main Building. This activity was aimed to encourage SIIT students (Thai and international students) to share their experience of designing and decorating a krathong made from natural materials and also support Thai traditional arts & culture. More than 82 Thai & International students and 15 faculty/staff members participated in this activity.

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