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8th International Conference on Creep, Shrinkage and Durability of Concrete and Concrete Structures (CONCREEP 8), to be held in Ise-Shima, Japan, 30th September–2nd October 2008.

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International Conference on Durability of Concrete Structures, to be held in Hangzhou, P.R. China, 26–27 November 2008.

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The Ninth International Symposium on Brittle Matrix Composites, to be held in Warsaw, Poland, 25–28 October 2009.

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IBCC 2008 – 11th International Inorganic-Bonded Fibber Composites Conference, to be held in NH Eurobuilding Hotel, Madrid, Spain, 4–7 November 2008.

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