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The idea of establishing closer project-oriented cooperative efforts with leading partners from the business world will continue in summer 2009. The companies enter long-term partnerships with the Festival as “resident sponsors”, thereby lending their support to the development and realization of particular artistic concepts.

CREDIT SUISSE allows the orchestral residency of the Vienna Philharmonic and promotes young musicians by granting two awards at alternating two-year intervals.

NESTLÉ AG has committed itself to the ambitious plan of maintaining the Festival's own orchestra. Its contributions make the annual residence of the LUCERNE FESTIVAL ORCHESTRA under Claudio Abbado possible. As Tour Sponsor the company also supports the orchestra's appearances abroad.

ZURICH focuses its commitment on the Easter and Summer festivals and on the American Friends of LUCERNE FESTIVAL, an association that promotes the presence of American artists and orchestras in Lucerne.

LUCERNE FESTIVAL wishes to thank the resident sponsors of the Summer 2008 Festival for their extraordinary commitment.

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