



INTERNATIONAL COLLABORATION

THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION ANNOUNCES EMSO-ERIC CONSORTIUM

The European Commission announced the EMSO-ERIC (European Multidisciplinary Seafloor and water-column Observatory European Research Infrastructure Consortium). The Consortium is made up by eight founding countries: France, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Portugal, Romania, Spain and UK; the head office will be based in Rome.

EMSO is a technologically advanced pan-European Research Infrastructure of fixed seafloor observatories among which the neutrino observatory KM3NET and the cabled observatory installed near the harbour of Catania. In Italy it involves the Istituto Nazionale di Geofisica e Vulcanologia (INGV), the INFN, the Consiglio Nazionale delle Ricerche (CNR), the Stazione Zoologica Anton Dohrn and the Istituto Superiore per la Protezione e la Ricerca Ambientale (ISPRA). ■