



INFRASTRUCTURES

NOA, THE GRAN SASSO LABORATORIES' NEW TECHNOLOGICAL HUB

On 14 February, the Abruzzo Region and INFN signed an agreement governing the participation in the master plan of the DarkSide-20k project. The aim is to achieve synergy between the scientific world and companies, exploiting the Nuova Officina Assergi (NOA) infrastructure (the Gran Sasso laboratories' new technological hub supported by the Abruzzo Region). Through research projects, PhD programs and research grants, young scientists will play a central role, finding in NOA a unique place where to train and develop their professional expertise in the technological field. This is a highly-specialised post-graduate program which enables students to find a job in the industrial and technologically-advanced field. The young students will work with researchers and senior technologists already specialised in various fields in an international context, training a new generation of specialised technicians and graduates who will contribute significantly to the growth and development of the territory. ■