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The Science and Technology Park of Sardinia

Where biotech companies find success



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Booth #2237 - Italy Pavilion

Tuesday, June 28, 2011 - 02:00 PM - 04:00 PM

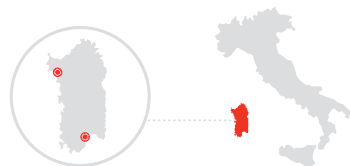
Wednesday, June 29, 2010 - 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Stop by SARDEGNA RICERCHE booth at BIO 2011 and learn more about the advanced R&D services and location opportunities offered by POLARIS, the Science and Technology Park of Sardinia.

Discover many a reason to smile together with POLARIS' tenants and get our promotional **USB memory card reader**.

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SARDEGNA RICERCHE is the public agency supporting the Regional Government's policies for research, innovation and technology development, and managing POLARIS, the Science and Technology Park of Sardinia. With two campuses (163.5 ha) and 70 tenants, Polaris is one of the largest science parks in Italy and specialises in Biotechnologies, ranging from biomedicine and agroindustrial biotechnologies to bionformatics, ICTs and Renewable energies.

Both campuses are located among nature reserves close to the most beautiful beaches of the Mediterranean Sea and to international airports. The Park supports bioscience companies and research centres wishing to carry out R&D activities and is open to entrepreneurs starting up new businesses in the Biotech sector. For this purpose, it makes available multifunctional spaces, equipped laboratories and a wide range of advanced services at competitive prices.



A key asset of Polaris are its 12 Biotech Labs with state-of-the-art scientific equipment and high-level know-how: Bioinformatics, Genotyping and Gene Expression Profiling, Pharmacology, Prototyping and Medical Devices, Nano-Biotechnologies, Proteomics, Bioanalytics Technologies, Molecular Imaging and NMR, Molecular Immunology, Biosensors and Telemetry, Food Technology and Microbial Biotechnology, and ICTs for Medicine.

Among the Park's key players is Fase 1, the first public company in Italy that pursues technical-financial investment in innovative projects for the clinical development of new diagnostic and therapeutic agents. Fase 1 assesses the technical-scientific relevance and marketing potential of new agents, carries out preclinical and clinical trials, delivers scientific training, and provides a broad range of specialised services and regulatory affairs solutions.



The Park hosts one of the most powerful computing clusters in Italy: 47 TFlops and more than 1.5 PB disk space. The cluster is managed by CRS4, the multidisciplinary supercomputing research centre founded by Nobel laureate Carlo Rubbia. CRS4, which created the first Italian website (www.crs4.it), is now carrying out R&D activities in the Biomedicine sector with a focus on bioinformatics, imaging informatics, clinical and public health informatics.