



INTRODUCING TECNOPOLI

The Tecnopoli (*Technopoles*) are 11 infrastructures, distributed throughout more than 20 locations in Emilia-Romagna region (Italy), hosting and organizing activities and services for industrial research, experimental development and technology transfer to support innovation of companies, people and territories.

The Technopoli contribute to the economic, social and sustainable development of the region. The services are organized by the Tecnopoli Managers with the coordination of ART-ER, the consortium company for innovation in Emilia-Romagna, which carries out actions to support and enhance synergies with other networks supporting the regional ecosystem.

The Tecnopoli is an initiative of the Emilia-Romagna Region in collaboration with universities, research centres and local authorities of the territories concerned.

The Tecnopoli Network is one of the key components of the innovation ecosystem in Emilia-Romagna, together with the High Technology Network and the Clust-ER Network.

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TECHNOPOLE OF FORLÌ-CESENA

The Tecnopolo of Forli-Cesena, is distributed in 4 locations throughout the territory and offers support to companies through access to the laboratories of CIRI - Interdepartmental Industrial Research Centres and their infrastructures. It is the territorial reference point of the **regional innovation ecosystem**. It helps spread new knowledge and innovation culture through meetings and events.

Through its laboratories, it also makes available to companies and the local area, **skills** and **equipment** for the **development of innovative projects**, from research to experimentation and technology transfer.



OPERATIONAL AREA

The Tecnopolo of Forlì-Cesena hosts the locations of the laboratories of 3 CIRI of the University of Bologna, accredited to the High Technology Network of Emilia-Romagna, the international laboratory CICLOPE, at the Caproni galleries and the prestigious Rocca delle Caminate in Meldola.

The management of the Tecnopolo is entrusted to Ser.In.Ar. established in 1988 to promote and support the decentralization of the University of Bologna in the cities of Forlì and Cesena.

Today it plays a strategic role in linking the university system and the socio-economic context of the territory, in the fields of research, innovation and training.

CIRI Aerospace

Aeronautics, Aerodynamics and propulsion, space science and technology

CIRI Agrifood

Safety and authenticity, Sustainable primary production, Quality, nutrition and health, Food processes and products, Consumption and markets

CIRI ICT-Information and Communication Technologies

Cloud computing, Big Data, Artificial Intelligence, Machine Learning, IoT, Cyber Security

CICLOPE Laboratory

Testing the effects of turbulence

Rocca delle Caminate

Support courses for companies (seminars, conferences, workshops) and start-up incubation

A PRIVILEGED ACCESS

TO EMILIA-ROMAGNA ECOSYSTEM INNOVATION

Tecnopolo of Forlì-Cesena is a strategic access point to the wealth of innovation opportunities of Emilia-Romagna ecosystem. It offers the possibility to gain specialised assistance for innovation.

- Guidance to local innovation opportunities
- Analytical services for detection of innovation needs
- Assistance to scouting financial support for innovative ventures
- Tech transfer through Research laboratories and organizations
- Open innovation
- Events and workshops on R&D and innovation frontiers