Revamping Etna valley: the role of Samothrace Innovation Ecosystem

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Etna Valley is the name given in the 90s to the industrial area around Catania in Eastern Sicily because of the fast growing activity on microelectronics. After 30 years Etna valley is still there and still growing with а renewed impulse coming from geopolitical events but also building on the body of knowledge represented by the University and the Research centres in the area. A brief presentation of the role of University of Catania in these years will be given together the description of more recent and more relevant actions in the field of micro and nano technologies as part of the present and the future: the SAMOTHRACE project.