



## **VULCANO, THE VOLCANO'S EPONYMOUS**

*3 hours + transfer from/to Lipari with fast ferry/private boat*

*difficulty: medium, elevation range 390 m*

The Fossa crater was the scene of a strong eruption between 1888 and 1890, since then there has been only secondary activity with gas emissions that have had however critical phases of instability (the last one between 2021 and 2022); a remarkable landscape where is possible to see the geological features of this young volcano (5000 years of age) and pioneer plant communities, such as the shrubs of the endemic *Genista tyrrhena*, that colonize the slopes and soils still influenced by the occurrence of fumaroles.

