# World Government Summit (WGS) 2025

## Why in News?

*Recently, the 12th edition of World Government Summit (WGS) 2025 was held in Dubai, United Arab Emirates (UAE).*

- **Established in** – ***2013***.
- **Theme** – Shaping Future Governments.
- **Aim –** To empower young Arabs through mentorship and educational initiatives.
- **WGS** – It serve as a ***platform for global dialogue*** on the future of governance, innovation, and sustainable development.
- **Participation** – Over 30 heads of state and more than 400 ministers at International level.
- **Composition** – It includes several forums such as:
    - Future of Work Forum, Government Experience Exchange Forum, Government Services Forum, Artificial Intelligence Forum, Future of Education Forum, Future of Mobility Forum, and Gender Balance Forum.
- **Meeting for Young Leaders** – It promoting youth involvement in governance and partnerships with decision-makers.
- It provides sessions to help young people gain skills for future leadership roles.
- It includes addressing critical challenges that governments face and aiming to shape future policies and practices.
- **India's Contributions**
- **2 key priorities:**
- Capacity building in *clean technology*, electric vehicles, and climate-resilient infrastructure.
- Securing adequate financial resources to achieve the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), particularly in combating *climate change* and safeguarding environmental systems.
- **Commitment** – To green growth, afforestation, sustainable agriculture, and the development of green infrastructure as integral components of its development strategy.

***Mission LiFE*** (Lifestyle for Environment) initiative, promotes a pro-planet lifestyle that embraces sustainability at individual, community, and national levels, ensuring that the choices we make today contribute to a better future.

**Reference**

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