

WorldSkills Asia Competition, 2025

Prelims: Current events of national and international importance

Why in news?

India marked a major milestone on the global skills stage as the country concluded its **debut participation** at the WorldSkills Asia Competition (WSAC) 2025.

- **Location** - The 3rd edition of the WorldSkills Asia Competition was held in ***Taipei, Taiwan***.
- This event was offering a platform to showcase excellence, innovation, and future-ready capabilities and to promote local education, economy, tourism, and international exchanges.

WorldSkills Asia - It is an international non-profit organization that unites Asian countries to promote technical skills and vocational education.

- **Participation** - It attracts more than 500 participants from 29 members and guest countries across Asia.
- **Skill Categories** - 44 technical and vocational skills

India's achievements in 2025

- **Rank** - 8th among 29 participating nations in its ***first-ever participation***.
- **Competitors** - 23 young talents across 21 skill categories, supported by 21 experts.
- **Medals Won** - (1 Silver, 2 Bronze, and 3 Medallions for Excellence)
 - Silver - Painting & Decorating: Muskan
 - Bronze - Industrial Design Technology: Komal Panda
 - Bronze - Robot System Integration: Shivam Singh & Dinesh R
 - Medallion for Excellence -
 - Software Application Development for Business: Mohamed

Mafaz P R

- Web Technologies: Aditya Nandan
- Electrical Installations: Dhanush M G
- **Highlights** - Women competitors were standout performers, excelling in non-traditional skills and earning the Best in Country medal.
- **Preparation** - The competitors were selected through ***IndiaSkills National Competition 2024*** and trained rigorously with industry, academia, and global experts.
- **Significance** - India's strong debut signals its ambition to become a global hub for skilled talent and it reflects the effectiveness of nationwide skilling initiatives and the rising aspirations of young professionals.

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