

Stockholm World Water Week 2021

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In news-During the Stockholm World Water Week 2021, National Mission for Clean Ganga(NMCG) hosted the Meet & Mingle session on various issues.

Issues on which NMCG hosted Meet & Mingle session include:

- Making Cities Water Positive Through City Water Balance Plan.
- Integrated River Basin Management: Stakeholder Engagement.
- Developing River Sensitive Cities.
- Zero Liquid Discharge Cities.

About the Stockholm World Water Week 2021-

- World Water Week is the leading annual **event on global water issues, organized by Stockholm International Water Institute(SIWI) since 1991.**
- Together with organizations from all sectors and all regions of the world, it **finds solutions to the world's greatest water-related challenges.**
- This year the event was held digitally from 23-27 August.
- **The theme** for the year 2021 is **'Building Resilience Faster'**
- **World Water Week is a non-profit event,** co-created together with leading organizations.
- It **aims to link scientific understanding** with policy and decision-making and provide concrete solutions to water, environmental and development challenges.
- With a focus on collaboration and shared learning, World Water Week is an important catalyst for change and

attracts leading researchers, decision-makers, business representatives, NGOs, students, and international organizations.

The Stockholm International Water Institute(SIWI)-

- SIWI is a world-leading water institute in water governance, resilience, water diplomacy and cooperation over shared resources.
- SIWI works across the world to help countries, cities, and companies find smarter ways to manage and use water.
- The institute traces its roots back to **1991 and the launch of the Stockholm Water Prize** and the Stockholm Water Symposium.

SIWI hosts several **flagship programmes**, including- The *UNDP-SIWI Water Governance Facility*, the *International Centre for Water Cooperation (ICWC)*, the *Action Platform for Source-to-Sea Management (S2S Platform)*, and the *Alliance for Global Water Adaptation (AGWA)*.