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## **FUEL PROGRAMME**

Empowering the Next Generation of Utility Leaders

The World Utilities Congress 2025 is more than just a global event — it's a catalyst for change, centered around sustainable energy, water security, and digital innovation. As the utilities sector undergoes rapid transformation, the future depends on the fresh ideas and passion of the next generation.

That's where the FUEL (Future Utilities and Energy Leaders) Programme comes in.

Designed to engage university students, young innovators, and fresh graduates, FUEL is a dynamic initiative that gives rising stars the opportunity to connect, learn, and lead in shaping the future of utilities.

## FUEL Programme Objectives



EMPOWER FUTURE LEADERS:

Connect young professionals and students with global leaders, policymakers, and innovators to foster the next generation of industry leaders.



PROMOTE SUSTAINABILITY EDUCATION:

Inspire and educate the next generation about the crucial role of sustainability, energy transition, and digital innovation.



**DRIVE COLLABORATION:** Encourage dialogue and partnerships between youth and experienced industry professionals to spur innovation.



CHAMPION INNOVATION:

Motivate participants to develop creative, real-world solutions for the current global energy and water challenges



#### ENABLE HANDS-ON LEARNING:

Offer immersive experiences through attending conference sessions and exploring live demonstrations of cuttingedge technologies.

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### FUEL Programme Components

#### **1. INNOVATION HUB**

We are partnering with a selection of leading universities to showcase student-led, industry-related research and innovations in the World Utilities Congress Innovation Zone. Over the course of the event, students will have the chance to:

- Present their projects to industry leaders
- Network with potential employers
- Engage in meaningful exchanges of ideas with professionals and peers

#### 2. KNOWLEDGE & CAPACITY BUILDING

Participants will gain access to the World Utilities Congress conference sessions — hearing firsthand from thought leaders about the future of utilities, energy transition and water security.

#### **3. DIGITAL ENGAGEMENT CAMPAIGN**

A social media and digital content initiative will invite young voices to share their experiences, projects, and insights from the event through posts and videos. Selected stories will be featured on the event's official channels, extending the reach of youth perspectives and innovations.

# **Why** attend as a FUEL participant

**Global Exposure:** Be part of a high-profile international event influencing the future of utilities.

**Career Opportunities:** Connect with industry experts and gain skills and insights that can open doors for your future career.

**Impactful Experience:** Gain the opportunity to contribute to solutions for global sustainability challenges while working alongside industry leaders.

## of on sustainability and innovation. Build a strong network between young talent and industry professionals.

• Actionable contributions to the future of utilities — from new ideas to practical solutions in sustainability and digital transformation.

Greater youth participation in the global dialogue

FUEL Programme –

The Big Picture

**Recognition:** Showcase your projects and ideas to an audience of global decision-makers.

### The future of utilities is being shaped today.

Join us at the World Utilities Congress 2025 and be part of the movement that's powering a smarter, more sustainable world.

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