

Important Facts for Prelims (16th January 2019)

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Global Aviation Summit 2019

- The Ministry of Civil Aviation, Government of India, in collaboration with Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FICCI) has organized first of its kind Global Aviation Summit in Mumbai.
- The theme of Global Aviation Summit is "Flying for all especially the next 6 Billion".
- The Summit aims to provide a platform for the stakeholders to brainstorm over the future of the aviation industry and identify the growth areas.
- It also gives the opportunity to highlight the latest concepts like drones, air taxis, new jets, and ultra-light aerial electric vehicles etc.
- Vision 2040 for the aviation sector was also launched during the summit.
- The vision document highlights the growth potential in different sub-sectors of Indian aviation and the key action steps which are required to be taken to achieve the desired objective.