

## **Training organized by ICAR-CIFE in collaboration with BLUE OCEAN FISH CLUSTER**

### **PALGHAR FOUNDATION, Palghar**

ICAR-CIFE organized a 3 days training programme from 17<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> March 2023 on “Value-added fish and shellfish products” in collaboration with BLUE OCEAN FISH CLUSTER PALGHAR FOUNDATION, Palghar. Dr. A.K. Balange, O/I ITMU, ICAR-CIFE, welcomed the gathering and briefed about the training programmes. The three days training programme covered different aspects of Fresh Fish Processing Handling and value-added products from the same. Trainees were exposed to both theory and practical classes and hands on training on different product preparations like fish wada, fish cutlet, fish chakli and shev and fish papad, wafers were demonstrated to the trainees. On the last day of the training Mr. Sunil Akrekar, Director, BLUE OCEAN FISH CLUSTER PALGHAR FOUNDATION, Palghar shared their 3 days training experience and thanked Director, ICAR-CIFE, Dr. A.K. Balange, I/C ITMU, Dr. B.B. Nayak, Principal Scientist FRHPHM Division, Dr. Geetanjali Deshmukhe, HoD & Principal Scientist, FRHPHM Division, Dr. Deepitha R.P., Scientists, FRHPHM Division and Mr. Avinash Sabale, Technical Officer (T5). Director, ICAR-CIFE and Dr. A.K. Balange congratulated all the trainees for the successful completion of the programme and urged them to take up fish-based value-added products and their popularisation not only in Maharashtra but in India and abroad as well. A total of 34 participants took part in the training programme.



