

# Ecosystem-Based Approaches to Climate Change Adaptation and Disaster Risk Reduction

## Schedule

**Date: 08.08.2025 Time: 15:00 to 17:00 Hrs.**

Time	Session Title	Resource Person	Discussion Points
3:00 – 3:05 PM	Welcome & Orientation	Dr. Sandeep Pandey GIDM	Overview of objectives
3:05 – 3:40 PM	<b>Session 1:</b>  Introduction to Ecosystem-Based Adaptation and Eco-DRR	Shri S.M. Saiyad, Former CCF, F&E Dept.	Concepts, examples, national & global relevance
3:40 – 4:20 PM	<b>Session 2:</b>  Gujarat's Practices – Ecosystem Solutions to Climate Risks	Prof. C.N. Pandey, Former PCCF & HoFF, F&E Dept.	Case studies from Gujarat: wetlands, mangroves, drylands
4:20 – 4:50 PM	<b>Session 3:</b>  Mainstreaming Eco-DRR into Planning + Participant Discussion	Ms. Deepa Gavali, Director, Gujarat Ecology Society, Vadodara	Policy linkage + moderated open discussion
4:50 – 5:00 PM	Feedback, Q&A and Closing Session	GIDM Program Team	Online questionnaire (Google Form) + closing remarks