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Although the organisation of the GIFT workshops (described in a poster in this session) represents the major activity of the EGU Committee on Education (CoE), it is not the only educational program of our Committee.

In this communication I will recall some of the major aspects of GIFT workshops and then describe how they have progressively evolved into different educational program all conducted by the CoE alongside with GIFT. These include, among others, the « Teachers at Sea » program, the GIFT lectures series and a program presently under development, in which we are creating a web site (posted on the EGU web page) aimed at giving secondary school teachers a way to communicate with fellow teachers worldwide and benefit from their experience whilst also making other teachers benefit from their own personal experience.

Guidelines will be given on how to join and participate to these different educational programs.