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COVER: The Socratic method is getting updated as computers, simulators and other electronic devices take over some of the routine give-and-take of teaching. They hold the promise of more individualized, tailor-made instruction, but some experts warn that subtle dangers lurk. See p. 170. (Illustration: David Suter)

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