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EDUCATION IS A THEME WHICH CONCERNS US ALL. HARDLY ANY OTHER TOPIC IS DEBATED WITH SUCH PASSION AND VEHEMENCE ACROSS SO-CIETY AND POLITICS. AND THIS WAS TRUE FOR OUR DISCUSSION HERE AS WELL.



 "... a dialogue where we can engage with people whom we might not meet in our ordinary lives."

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AS THE GLOBALIZED WORLD OF GOODS HAS DRAWN MARKETS CLOSER TOGETHER, COMMON REGULATIONS NEED TO BE NEGOTIATED. EVER SINCE ITS ADVENT, THE GLOBAL INFORMATION WORLD OF THE INTERNET HAS HELD OUT THE PROMISE THAT A RAPPROCHEMENT OF ATTITUDES AND A TRANSFORMATION OF MORAL STANDARDS COULD WELL GO HAND IN HAND WITH THE WORLDWIDE EXCHANGE OF INFORMATION. OR IS THIS JUST SOME TINSEL UTOPIAN DREAM? FOUR EXPERTS DISCUSS THREE PROPOSITIONS PUT FORWARD IT PETER GLASER'S ESSAY "DIGITAL DARWIN": THAT CROSSBORDER COMMUNITIES WILL COME TO BE THE DOMINANT FORCE IN POLITICS; THAT DIGITAL NETWORKS WILL OPEN UP NEW OPPORTUNITIES BOTH ON THE LOCAL AND THE GLOBAL LEVEL; AND THAT THE RESULTANT WEALTH OF OPPORTUNITIES WILL OFFER PEOPLE NEW PERSPECTIVES FOR COMMUNITY LIVING.

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