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Sommario/riassunto	This critical analysis of the American educational-industrial complex--organizations, corporate entities, and political agents that seek to influence U.S. public education policy in accord with their own goals and objectives--posits that educational technology is the vehicle whereby it has grown and strengthened its position of influence.