## PARIS IN LITERATURE – YESTERDAY AND TODAY TYPOLOGY AND FUNCTIONS OF DESCRIPTION

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**Abstract:** The urban myth of Paris could be transposed in literary types of description. We will adopt the typology and the functions of description suggested by Jean-Michel Adam in his book Le Texte descriptif and we will refer to some novels of the  $19^{th}$  and  $20^{th}$  century.

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