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Some 750 alphabetically-arranged entries provide insights into the exciting cultural and political features of contemporary Spain. Including Catalonia, Galicia and the Basque country, coverage spans from 1939 to the present.

No Word from Gurb Pantheon

"Released from an asylum to help with a police enquiry, the quick-witted and foul-smelling narrator, Gonewiththewind, delves deep into the underworld of 1970s Barcelona to investigate the mysterious disappearance of a teenage girl from a convent school." "Helped only by his ageing prostitute sister and the voluptuous nymphomaniac, Mercedes, the narrator's investigations take him deeper into a mystery involving murdered sailors, suicidal daughters, a web of organised crime and a secret, underground crypt." "Both gripping and surprising. The Mystery of the Enchanted Crypt is a hilarious detective story."--  
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Analyse des Romans "La ciudad de los prodigios" von Eduardo Mendoza

Cambridge University Press

This book is a history of Asian slaves in colonial Mexico and their journey from bondage to freedom.

Eduardo Mendoza y la ciudad de los prodigios Editorial Fundamentos

"En el período comprendido entre las dos Exposiciones Universales de Barcelona de 1888 y 1929, con el telón de fondo de una ciudad tumultuosa, agitada y pintoresca, real y ficticia, asistimos a las andanzas de Onofre Bouvila, inmigrante paupérrimo, repartidor de propaganda anarquista y vendedor ambulante de crecepelelo, y su ascensión a la cima del poder financiero y delictivo. Mendoza, en la novela original, nos propone un singularísimo avatar de la novela picaresca y un brillante carrusel imaginativo de los mitos y fastos locales. Una fantasía satírica y lúdica cuyo sólido soporte realista inicial no excluye la fabulación libérrima" --taken from Goodreads website.

**The City of Marvels** Grupo Planeta  
Spain

Anthony Whitelands, an English art historian, is invited to Madrid to value an

aristocrat's collection. At a welcome lunch he encounters Jose Antonio Primo de Rivera, founder and leader of the Falange, a nationalist party whose antics are bringing the country ever closer to civil war. The paintings turn out to be worthless, but before Whitelands can leave for London the duque's daughter Paquita reveals a secret and genuine treasure, held for years in the cellars of her ancestral home. Afraid that the duque will cash in his wealth to finance the Falange, the Spanish authorities resolve to keep a close eye on the Englishman, who is also being watched by his own embassy. As Whitelands--ever the fool for a pretty face--vies with Primo de Rivera for Paquita's affections, he learns of a final interested party: Madrid is crawling with Soviet spies, and Moscow will stop at nothing to secure the hidden prize.

*Kiseki no toshi* Image Comics

Our hero, Gonewiththewind, has once again been released by the police from a lunatic asylum in Barcelona. This time his mission is to recover a briefcase filled with money lost under very peculiar circumstances. Mysteries and mishaps follow each other at breakneck speed, as the hapless detective delves beyond humor and the absurd to the frontiers of the truly surreal. Eduardo Mendoza was born in 1943 in Barcelona. He spent some years in New York working as an interpreter for the United Nations. His other novels include *No Word from Gurb* and *The Mystery of the Enchanted Crypt* (both available from Telegram).

[La función del espacio urbano en La ciudad de los prodigios de Eduardo Mendoza](#) NOCTURNA

The novel "evokes the revolutionary atmosphere of Barcelona in the shadows of World War I."

**Stadtdarstellung in La Ciudad de los**

**Prodigios** Telegram Books

An odyssey of operatic proportions, featuring an obsession-fueled taxi driver. After Lucía loses her job at an IT firm, she has a vision of her future career as a taxi driver, brought on by the intoxicating opera floating through her apartment's air vent. She obtains her taxi license and meets the neighbor responsible for the music. Calaf is the man's name, which also happens to be the name of the character in Puccini's *Turandot* and the bird Lucía received on her tenth birthday from her long-since-dead mother. When he moves out of her building, Lucía becomes obsessed, driving through Madrid and searching for him on every corner, meeting intriguing people along the way. What follows is a phantasmagoria of coincidence, betrayal, and revenge, featuring Millás's singular dark humor. *Let No One Sleep* is a delirious novel in which the mundane and extraordinary collide, art revives and devastates, and identity is unhinged by the treacherous forces of contemporary society.

[La Ciudad de los prodigios](#) Archipelago Private Life holds up a mirror to the moral corruption in the interstices of the Barcelona high society. Sagarra was born into. Boudoirs of demimonde tramps, card games dilapidating the fortunes of milquetoast aristocrats - and how they scheme to conceal them - fading manors of selfish scions, and back rooms provided by social-climbing seamstresses are portrayed in vivid, sordid, and literary detail. The novel, practically a roman-à-clef for its contemporaries, was a scandal in 1932. The 1960's edition was bowdlerized by Franco's censors. Part *Lampedusa*, part *Genet*, this translation will bring an essential piece of 20th-century European literature to the English-speaking public.

*Wildcard* San Diego : Harcourt Brace Jovanovich

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**Eduardo Mendoza's La ciudad de los prodigios som postmodernistisk udtryk** Bellevue Literary Press

Eduardo Mendoza's classic novel about the birth of Barcelona as a world city, embodied in the rise of the ambitious and unscrupulous Onofre Bouvila "Though historical in subject matter, this story of Catalonian enterprise and Barcelonan ambition is thoroughly contemporary in spirit" Jonathan Franzen Stung by the realisation that his father is a fraud and a failure, Onofre Bouvila leaves a life of rural poverty to seek his fortune in Barcelona. The year is 1888, and the Catalan capital is about to emerge from provincial obscurity to take its place amongst the great cities of the world, thanks to the upcoming Universal Exhibition. Thanks to a tip-off from his landlord's daughter, Onofre gets his big break distributing anarchist leaflets to workers preparing for the World Fair. From these humble beginnings, he branches out as a hair-tonic salesman, a burglar, a filmmaker, an arms smuggler and a political dealmaker, in a

multifaceted career that brings him wealth and influence beyond his wildest dreams. But, just as Barcelona's rise makes it a haven for gangsters, crooks and spivs, vice begins to fester in Onofre's heart. And the climax to his remarkable story will come just as a second World Fair in 1929 marks the city's apotheosis. Translated from the Spanish by Nick Caistor

*La ciudad de los prodigios* Dalkey Archive Press

Cuando en 1924 Helena Lennox se presenta con sus padres en Nápoles por una colaboración arqueológica con las excavaciones pompeyanas, una desconocida le entrega un amuleto de protección con una advertencia: «La ciudad no es segura, los ángeles ya no velan por nosotros». Durante los siguientes días, los Lennox se codean con una princesa solitaria, un pariente inesperado y un viejo amigo perseguido por la mala suerte mientras el cerco de los crímenes que están atemorizando a la ciudad se estrecha a su alrededor. Las víctimas son chicas jóvenes sin ningún elemento en común; el culpable a ojos de todos, alguien muy conveniente para las autoridades. Y sobre ese misterio se alarga la sombra del Príncipe de los Prodigios, un intrigante alquimista cuyos inventos siguen en boca de todos. Según cuenta la leyenda, ideó una carroza que se desplazaba sobre el agua, un carbón que no se consumía... y un brebaje capaz de despertar a aquellos atrapados en un sueño profundo. Cita de reseña crítica: «Como siempre, Victoria Álvarez logra transportarnos a una época fascinante y a unos lugares increíbles a través de su cuidada y certera prosa. He disfrutado en compañía de los Lennox hasta el punto de vivir sus aventuras y desventuras tanto como ellos». Gema Bonnín, autora de *Arena roja* y *Lo que el*

bosque esconde

### **La ciudad de los prodigios**

Yesterday's World Publishing

A hilarious cult classic featuring an extraterrestrial Don Quixote bumbling through modern-day Barcelona.

A Cidade dos prodígios Penguin

The novel depicts the hardship borne by the lower-middle class following the Spanish Civil War.

### **La ciudad de los prodigios de**

**Eduardo Mendoza** MacLehose Press

"The Lord has shown me that Satan was once an honored angel in heaven, next to Jesus Christ. His countenance was mild, expressive of happiness like the other angels. His forehead was high and broad, and showed great intelligence. His form was perfect. He had noble, majestic bearing. And I saw that when God said to his Son, Let us make man in our image, Satan was jealous of Jesus. He wished to be consulted concerning the formation of man. He was filled with envy, jealousy and hatred. He wished to be the highest in heaven, next to God, and receive the highest honors. Until this time all heaven was in order, harmony and perfect subjection to the government of God."-Ellen G White

La ciudad de los prodigios Telegram Books

Studienarbeit aus dem Jahr 2011 im Fachbereich Romanistik - Hispanistik, Note: 2,0, Universität Passau, Sprache: Deutsch, Abstract: Anlässlich der 18. Hispanistentage, die in diesem Jahr 2011 an der Universität Passau stattfanden, hielten die Referenten Claudia Jünke (Bonn), Alexander Gropper Lorda (Passau) und Frank R. Links (Bonn) Vorträge zum Thema: „La Movida revistada - Historische und systematische Aspekte einer transmedialen Ästhetik.“ Die Vortragsreihe befasste sich unter

anderem mit der Thematik der spanischen Moderne und der darauffolgenden Postmoderne. Unter Postmoderne versteht man im Allgemeinen die Bewegung bzw. Gegenbewegung zur Moderne, die sich nach bzw. aufgrund dieser entstand. Sie wird weitgehend als Ausprägung des sich zur jeweiligen Zeit durchsetzenden kapitalistischen Systems gesehen aber kritisiert in erster Linie das Innovationsstreben der Moderne. Deshalb wird die Postmoderne auch als postindustrielles Zeitalter und Konsumgesellschaft bezeichnet. Nach Baumann handelt es sich hier um eine Art Freibrief, nämlich zu tun wozu man Lust hat, und eine Empfehlung, nichts von dem, was man selbst tut oder was andere tun, allzu ernst zu nehmen. Grundsätzlich sieht dieses Weltbild die Welt als pluralistisch, zufällig und chaotisch. Die Postmoderne geht von einem instabilen Menschenbild aus und lehnt die drei grundsätzlichen Meta-Erzählungen, Aufklärung, Idealismus und Historismus ab. Demzufolge wendet sie sich von der Vernunft ab und betont stattdessen die Emotionalität. Typisch für den Autor eines solchen Romans sind ironische und parodistische Elemente, wobei er dabei selbst stets distanziert bleibt. Als auktorialer Erzähler spielt er mit den Genres, so dass keine Klarheit zu erkennen ist. Zwar wurde in der Vortragsreihe der siebten Sektion der Passauer Hispanistentage der Autor Eduardo Mendoza nicht ausdrücklich erwähnt, dennoch zählt er zu den Autoren der Postmoderne. Zum Einen aufgrund der zeitlichen Einteilung, zum Anderen weil der im Jahre 1986 erschienene Roman „La ciudad de los prodigios“ eindeutige postmoderne Merkmale enthält. Der Fachliteratur gelingt keine eindeutige Zuordnung und

sie schwankt zwischen der Bezeichnung von einem postmodernen Aufsteiger-und Kriminalroman. Ziel dieser Hausarbeit ist es daher postmoderne Elemente des Romans „La ciudad de los prodigios“ herauszuarbeiten.

*The Mystery of the Enchanted Crypt*  
MacLehose Press

The New York Times bestseller “The Shadow of the Wind is ultimately a love letter to literature, intended for readers as passionate about storytelling as its young hero.” —Entertainment Weekly (Editor's Choice) “One gorgeous read.” —Stephen King  
Barcelona, 1945: A city slowly heals in the aftermath of the Spanish Civil War, and Daniel, an antiquarian book dealer’s son who mourns the loss of his mother, finds solace in a mysterious book entitled *The Shadow of the Wind*, by one Julián Carax. But when he sets out to find the author’s

other works, he makes a shocking discovery: someone has been systematically destroying every copy of every book Carax has written. In fact, Daniel may have the last of Carax’s books in existence. Soon Daniel’s seemingly innocent quest opens a door into one of Barcelona’s darkest secrets--an epic story of murder, madness, and doomed love.

*El príncipe de los prodigios* Taylor & Francis

Here is the story of Onofre Bouvila, a poor Catalan country boy who arrives in Barcelona in 1886 and lies, cheats, and murders his way to enormous wealth and power.

**The Shadow of the Wind** Planeta Còmic

A collection of Spanish fantasy fiction, including tales of ghosts, fabulous creatures, time travel, and metamorphoses.

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