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contemporary authors, who shape an image of the Egyptian reality that in each case is determined by their own circumstances and contexts.