

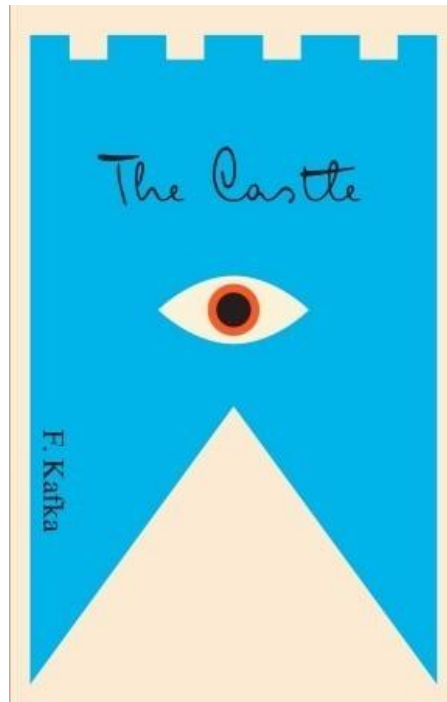
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# Franz Kafka zwischen den Medien

## Kafka-Adaptionen in Comics and Film

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