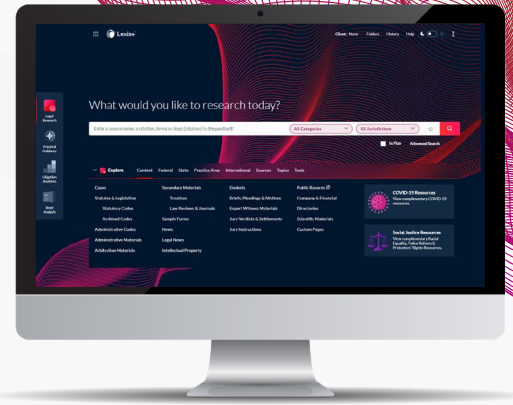


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Top three tips:

1

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3

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