The Supreme Court handed down decisions on landmark cases this month, so we thought it would be helpful to include a tip on how to access landmark cases in a single click. Also check out the new content that’s been added to LexisNexis® Academic, upcoming training webinars and more. Send ideas for future tips or topics to lnainfo@lexisnexis.com.

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Company Profiles from WorldBox AG provide an overview of the largest companies for the country of coverage. The overviews include identification information (address, communication information), company registration (legal form, legal domicile, board of directors, management, incorporation date, auditors, capital, activity, name and domicile changes) profile (NACE code, line of business, import/export, certifications, bankers, management), financial information (employees, sales, investments and EBIT where available) and relationships (owners and subsidiaries).

Countries included in this collection are:

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Find Historically Important Supreme Court Cases using the LexisNexis Academic Landmark Cases Collection

Finding a specific landmark Supreme Court decision can be difficult, as many cases are subject to multiple appeals and motions that create a trail of case opinions. Searching on name alone in the Supreme Court cases can bring back a dozen opinions all related to the landmark case in which you are interested. The LexisNexis Academic Landmark Supreme Court Cases collection makes it easy to find THE New York Times v. Sullivan or THE Mapp v. Ohio.

The Landmark Supreme Court Cases are accessible from the Federal and State Cases search form or directly from the Landmark Cases page under Search by Content Type. The cases are arranged by topics related to the Bill of Rights or to rights established under the 14th Amendment. Simply click on a topic to see a brief summary of the historically important cases related to that provision of the Constitution. Each summary provides a direct link to the full Supreme Court opinion for that case.

Once you are in a case opinion, you can read the opinion in full, get a quick overview of the case by reading the summary and headnotes, or, for newer cases, link to briefs and transcripts from the arguments before the Supreme Court. You can also link directly to the Shepard's® Report for the case to find all subsequent and related decisions that cite this historically important case.

If you are interested in the most recent opinions from the Supreme Court, the Landmark Supreme Court Cases box on the Federal and State Cases search form provides you with one-click access to Supreme Court opinions for cases decided within the last year. Supreme Court opinions are added to LexisNexis Academic within 24 hours of being published by the Court.

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