

# Semantic Search Option available from the Advanced Search Form

**Funding Advanced Search**

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Include:  All Generated Summaries field with All Fields queries ?

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A new **Semantic Search** option on the Advanced Search form will allow users to conduct a contextual, natural language query across all funding opportunities.

This is different than the current Free Text search which looks only for exact matches to the terms and operators entered as part of the query.

**Note:** The Semantic Search is an additional advanced search option. The search box functionality on the home page and funding tab remain unchanged.

# What is Semantic Search?



Semantic Search leverages the Large Language Models available in the Clarivate Academic AI Platform to better understand the context and intent behind a user's query. This allows the system to compare concepts, not just words, so **it can find additional relevant funding opportunities even when those results don't contain the exact keywords or terms the user searched.**

**With semantic search, users can perform more natural language searching such as entering a topic or phrase and get the most relevant results to match their search query.**

# Using Semantic Search in Pivot-RP

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The Semantic Search option is only on the advanced search form.

Semantic search differs from the traditional free text search options in that it will search related concepts that a mathematic formula determines to be related to the query. This means that the search results will be broader and perhaps less precise than the traditional free text search fields.

**Using semantic search may return relevant results that a user might have missed otherwise.** However, it may also return more “noise” or “fuzzy matches” of opportunities.

Using semantic search will be most effective when coupled with keyword searching and the other advanced search filter parameters that Pivot-RP makes available. This allows you to drill down to view the most accurate and relevant results.