New iDiscover functionality - March 2021

1. Persistent Search History for Signed-In Users

Previously, search history was tracked per session and was not saved between sessions in My Favourites.

However, from March 2021, signed-in users will find that iDiscover now stores the last 100 searches (including Advanced Search queries) in:

My Favourites > Search History

These searches are retained for suggestions in future sessions. (See: 2. Recent Search Suggestions)
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In addition, selecting a search’s Pin icon 📌 will copy the item to the Saved Searches section and remove it from the Search History section.

Although the same search can appear in Search History more than once, you will not be able to copy the same search to Saved Searches more than once.

Also, under the Search History and Saved Searches sections, the row containing the date no longer includes the time at which the search was performed.

Searches can be removed from your Search History, by selecting them either individually or in bulk and then selecting the Delete icon.
2. Recent Search Suggestions

From March 2021, autocomplete suggestions will be active in iDiscover simple searches and will include suggestions based on simple searches stored in My Favourites > Search History.

Suggestions will start to appear after you type at least two characters.

When you select a recent search suggestion, iDiscover will use the same search terms and scope as found in your Search History section. (See: 1. Persistent Search History for Signed-In Users)

iDiscover will only display one recent suggestion, which is based on the most recent simple search in your Search History.