Search strategy template

What is your research question?

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What are your topics and keywords?

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|  | Topic 1 – | Topic 2 - | Topic 3 - |
| Search terms |  |  |  |

The 5Ws can be helpful in identifying search terms:

* Who – Is there a group of people you are interested in researching?
* What – What is the thing you want to research?
* Why – Why are you looking for this info?
* Where – Is there a particular place/area/country you want look at?
* When – Is there a particular time period you are interested in?