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# Locate OSINT Updates - May 2021

It's Neil here with May's Updates, to let you know of any changes in the world of OSINT. In this month's update we are going to let you know about;

- Enhancing Images
- Skylens Geolocation Search Site
- Two New Search Resources
- Lumen Database

## **Enhancing Images**

We have added a section called **Enhancing Images** on the Photo Related Sites page to the website at <a href="https://www.uk-osint.net/photosites.html">https://www.uk-osint.net/photosites.html</a>. There are links to a number of free online resources, some of which need you to sign in with a Google or Facebook account, which allow you to upload and enhance an image.

So adding an image to <a href="https://www.myheritage.com/photo-enhancer">https://www.myheritage.com/photo-enhancer</a> is really quite effective at cleaning up an old image and making it a lot clearer, which might help in identifying people in old scanned in images.

Others sites are at <a href="https://deep-image.ai/">https://deep-image.ai/</a>, <a href="https://photoshop.adobe.com/adjust">https://www.fotor.com/photo-editor-app/editor/basic</a> and <a href="https://letsenhance.io/">https://letsenhance.io/</a>, with some of these offering additional image enhancement functions and some being better than others but the MyHertiage site was surprisingly good.

### **Skylens – Geolocation Search Site**

We have added a link to Skylens, <a href="https://app.skylens.io/">https://app.skylens.io/</a> to the Photo Related Sites page on our website at <a href="https://www.uk-osint.net/photosites.html">https://www.uk-osint.net/photosites.html</a>.

Skylens at <a href="https://app.skylens.io/">https://app.skylens.io/</a> is a free online resource which lets you search via an area and a date range for any uploaded posts to sites including Flickr, Twitter, VK, YouTube and Weibo.

#### **Two New Search Resources**

We have added two new search resources to the Other Popular Search Engines & Sites section on the Search Engines page to our website at <a href="https://www.uk-osint.net/searchengines.html">https://www.uk-osint.net/searchengines.html</a>.

**SeQe** at <a href="https://seqe.me/">https://seqe.me/</a> is a useful tool for constructing search queries using advanced search operators simultaneously for five search engines, including Google, Bing, Yahoo, Baidu & DuckDuckGo.

**MillionShort** at <a href="https://millionshort.com/">https://millionshort.com/</a> is a search site which removes the top search engine results, which may be helpful in locating older, less popular information.



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## **Lumen Database**

The Lumen Database at <a href="https://www.lumendatabase.org/">https://www.lumendatabase.org/</a> is an online database of takedown notifications for online sites. So using a combination of searches on Lumen, then searches and checks on archive sites such as at <a href="https://archive.org/">https://archive.org/</a> and <a href="https://archive.today">https://archive.today</a> may allow you to find information that has been taken down.

Many thanks & stay safe

Neil

