

# The 'W's of collaborating with an organization as part of your Master Thesis project

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## WHY should you collaborate?

- Combine theory with practice – become aware of what you can do with your knowledge and methods
- Explore yourself as a student researcher in a professional context
- Build network and career opportunities
- Counts as experience on your CV

# WHAT could you collaborate about?



A problem/challenge/topic relevant for both you and the organization(s)



Different from study job and internship – research focus here, not solving tasks for the organization



Knowledge building that meets need of both worlds (academic assignment & organizational relevance)

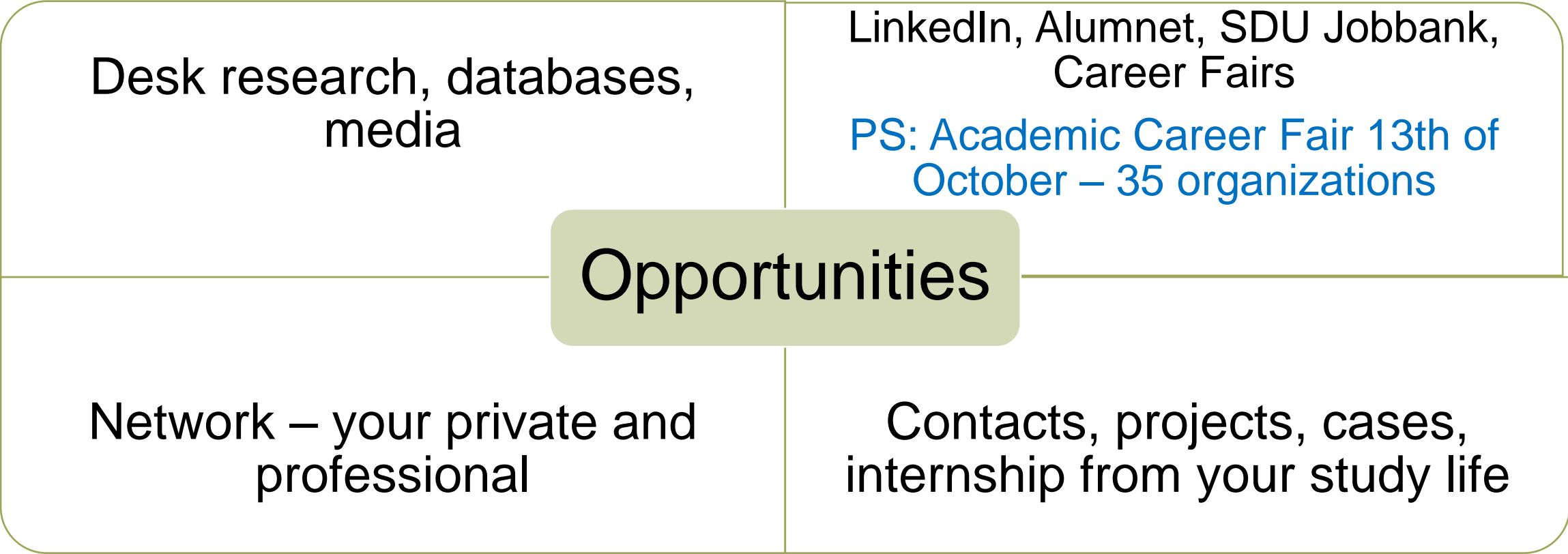


Approach:  
One or more organizations  
Data access/collection

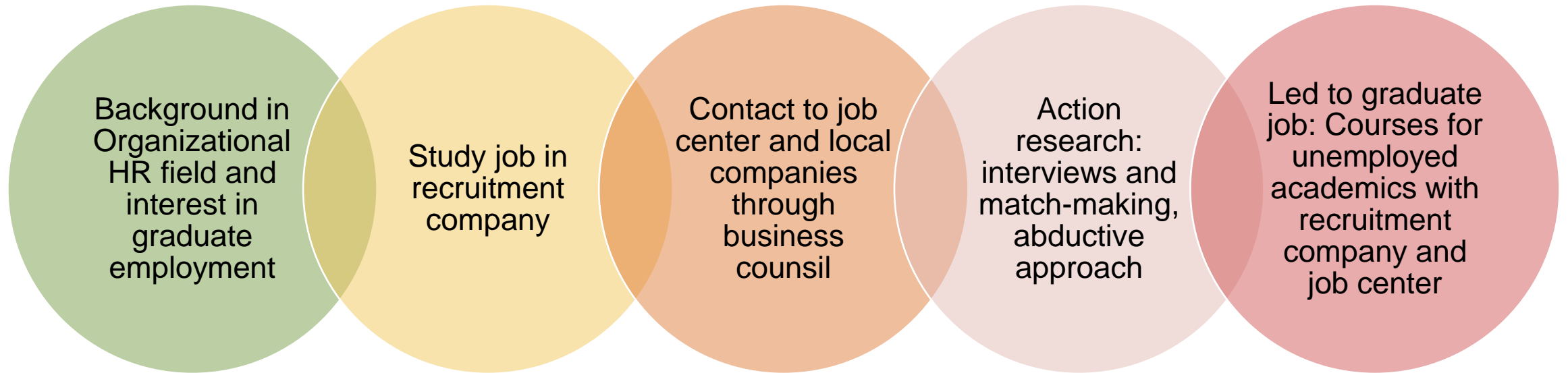


Think about your subjects and methods – what could they contribute with and what motivates you?

# WHERE can you find organizations?



# My Master Thesis journey



A little push to get started in time

Talk about types of organizations

Inputs on how to make contact

Identify interesting projects with your profile

We talk to many students about this, don't hesitate to get in touch

## WANT to get help?

- <https://mitsdu.dk> – study programme – career paths:
  - Career counseling
  - Career events
  - Advices on webpage
- Visit Career Center (Gydehutzen, across U82)
- Contact me: [lynfort@sdu.dk](mailto:lynfort@sdu.dk)