



What's Up Wednesday – Get INSPIRED: Career Preparation with INSPIRE.

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Agenda



- ▶ Background
- ▶ Types of research
 - ▶ Unknown career/job searching
 - ▶ One known (either career/job or company)
 - ▶ Known career/job and company searching
- ▶ Examples/questions

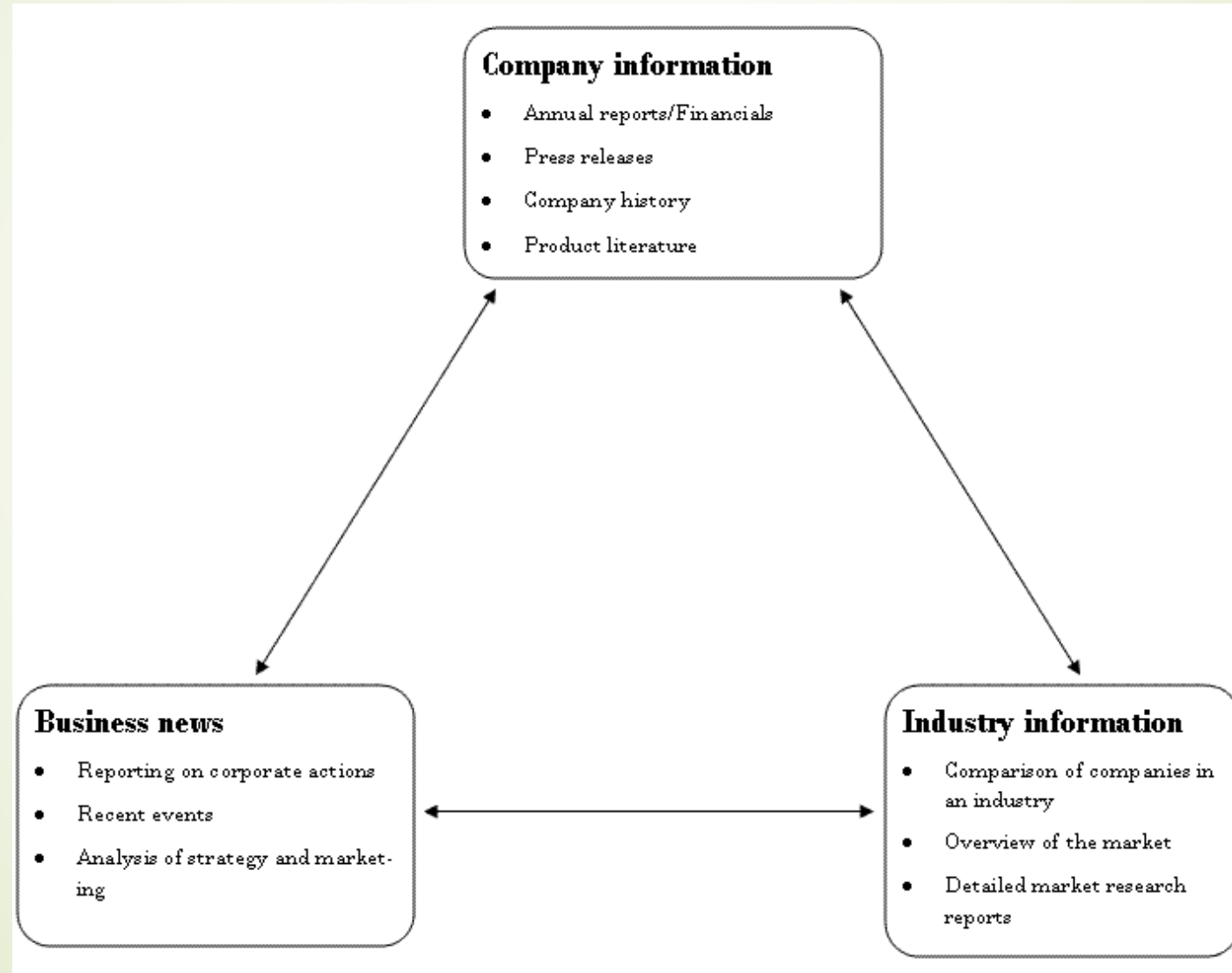


Background



- ▶ What situation is the person in?
 - ▶ Looking for a first job/career
 - ▶ Looking to change/grow
 - ▶ Unemployed vs. Underemployed
- ▶ Reference Interview

Business Information Triangle



Unknown career/job searching


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Unknown career/job searching

- ▶ Free web resources
 - ▶ [Occupational Outlook Handbook](#)
 - ▶ [Career One Stop](#)
 - ▶ LinkedIn – view profiles of people doing the type of work you might want to do
- ▶ INSPIRE Resources
 - ▶ Vocational and Career Collection (EBSCOhost)
 - ▶ Vocational Studies Premier (EBSCOhost)



One known (either career/job or company)

- ▶ when company is known:
 - ▶ [Business Source Complete](#)
 - ▶ Business Wire News
- ▶ when career/job is known:
 - ▶ LearningExpress Library
 - ▶ Occupational Outlook Handbook
 - ▶ [Career One Stop](#)



Known career/job and company searching

- Bringing it all together!
- Learn about the career path, job role, and the company



Interviewing Resources

- ▶ [Glassdoor](#)
 - ▶ LinkedIn
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Questions

