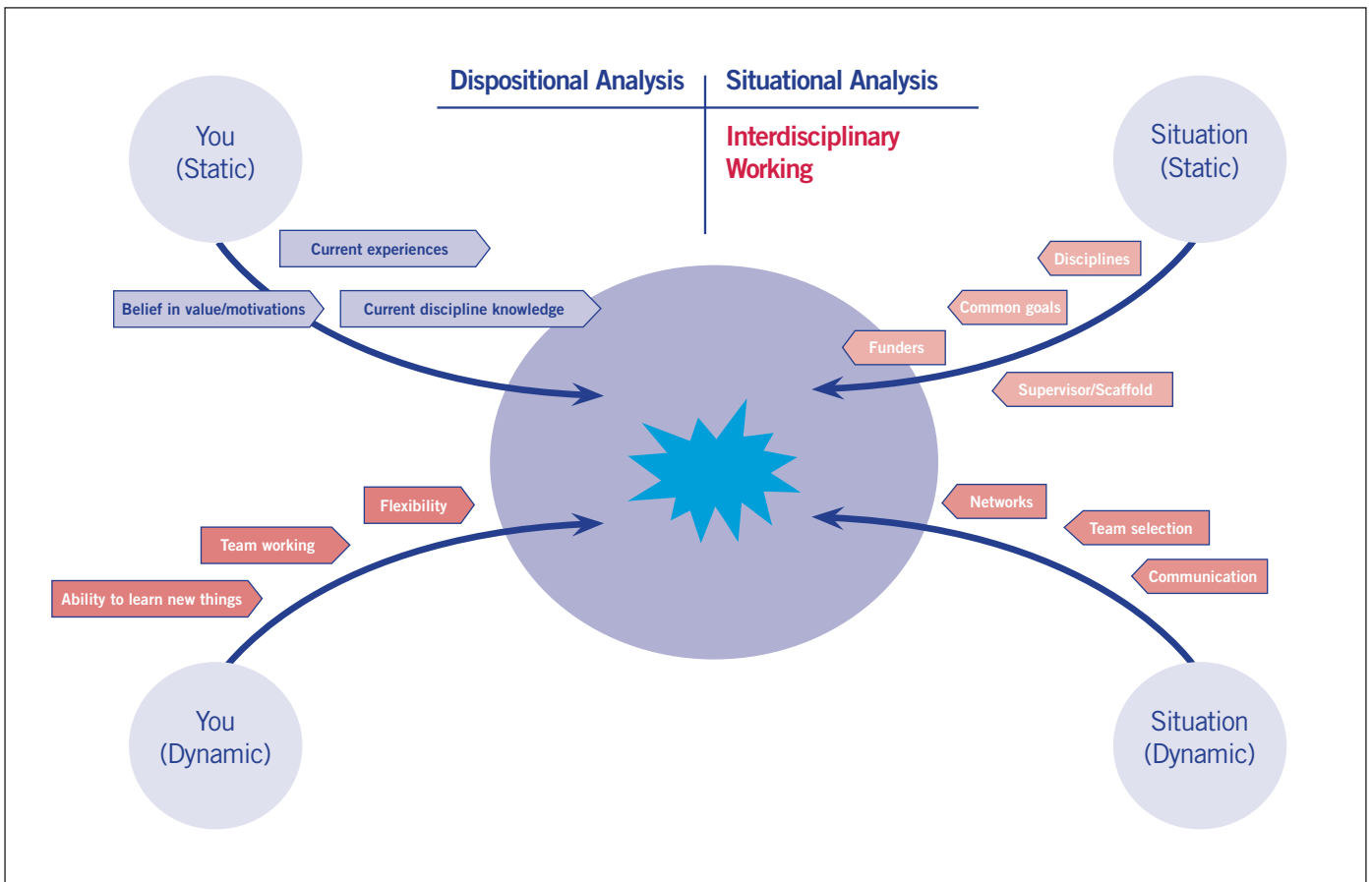


Interdisciplinary working



Explanation (Gail de Blaquiere perspective)

Situation (Static):

Static elements in this situation relate to the current research landscape which, though changing, is based in traditional academic disciplines. Most Supervisors/PIs will be experts in a particular area, and aiming for the student/project to achieve successful results and be completed on time. Funders may have clear aims for the research outcomes and its impact.

Situation (Dynamic):

Dynamic elements could include the disciplines and expertise in interdisciplinary working of the supervisory team the size and breadth of networks available to the project and the level of communication between the parties on the focus and outcomes of the research.

You (Static):

Static elements will be based on your knowledge and current experience in your discipline together with the amount of belief and motivation you bring to the project.

You (Dynamic):

Dynamic elements will come into play with your level of ability to learn new knowledge, methods or understanding different disciplinary norms, your capacity to work successfully with evolving teams and your flexibility during the project.