

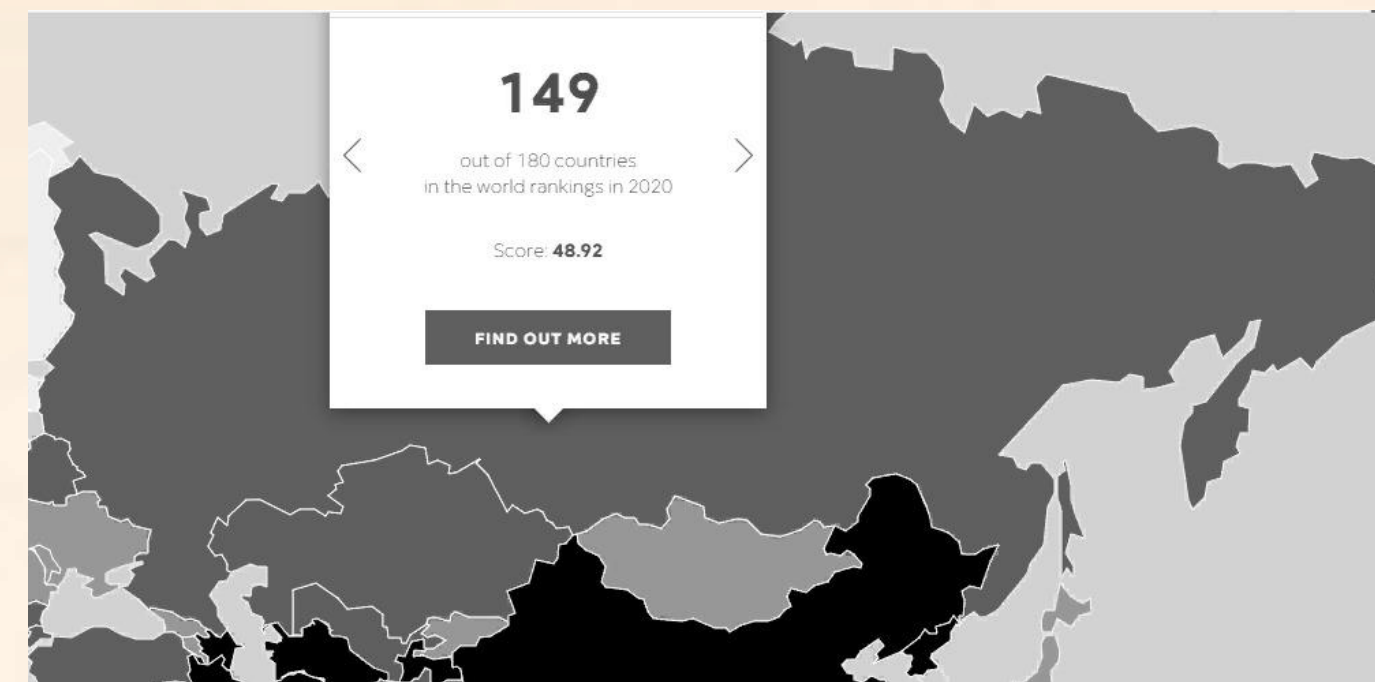
How local independent media can survive in Russia

Abstract

Despite the difficult situation with press freedom, there are small local independent newsrooms in different parts of Russia. They present to the audience an alternative picture of the world but are experiencing both political and economic difficulties.

This work proposes how to strengthen local independent journalism. The creation of a support and information center will help unite, engage and enhance the professionalism of local journalists.

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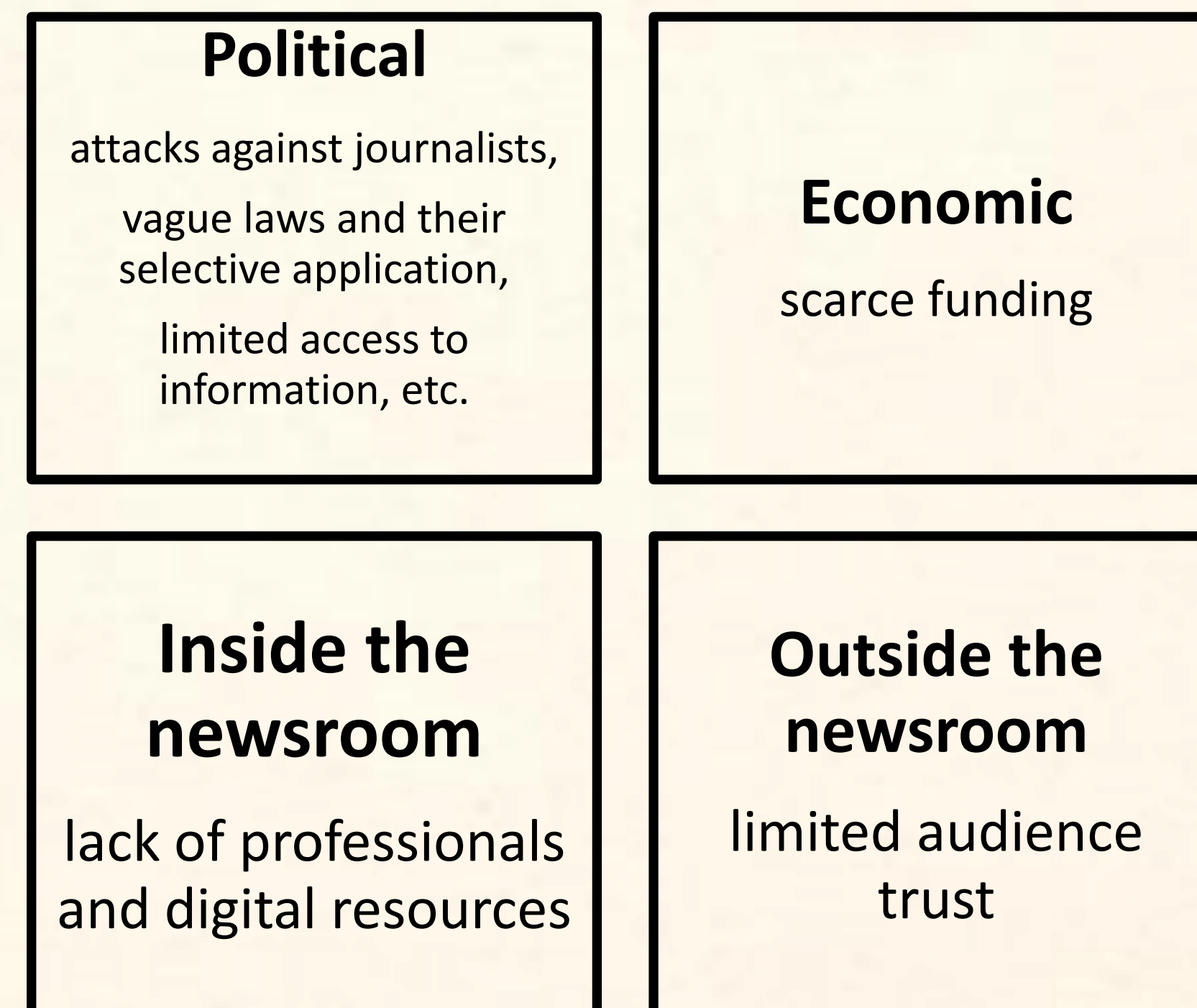


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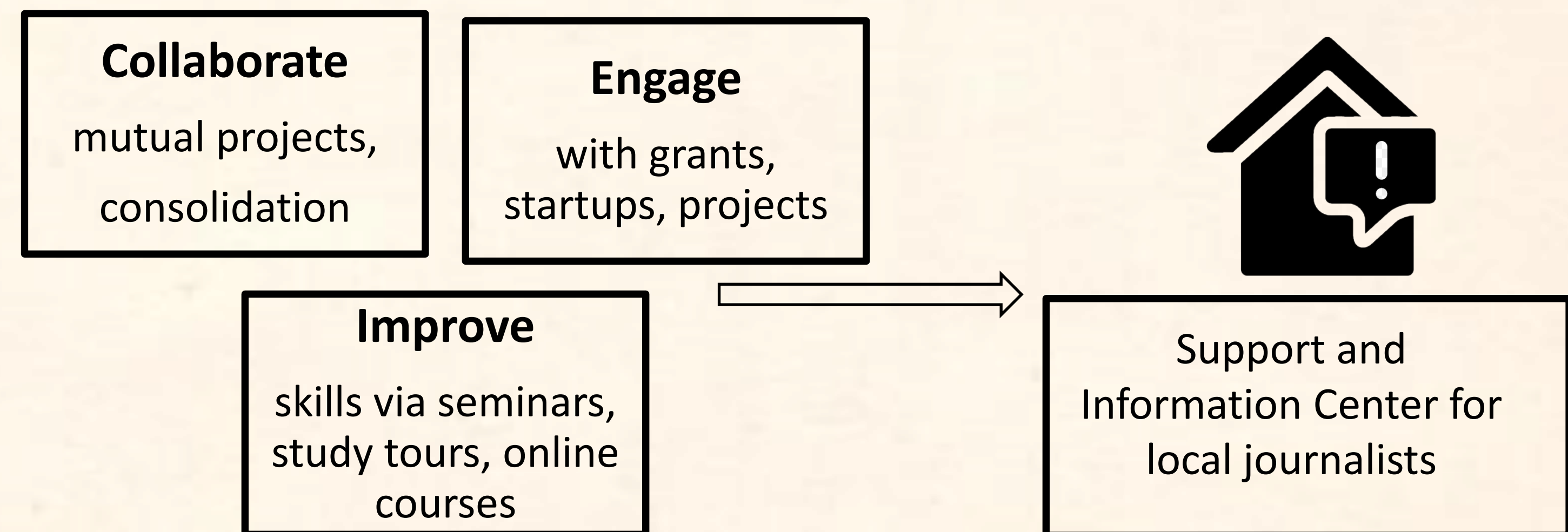
- **Types of ownership:** privately owned or NGO
- **Content:** focus on acute political and social problems (protests, unlawful persecution, corruption, poverty, diversity, environmental and health care problems)
- **Format:** digital online media



Problems



Solutions



Existing successful practices: 4th Sector, 7x7

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