Workshop
User Experience Design III
Day 4 - UX Tools & Methods
Session 2 - HMWs

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How Might We...?
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INSIGHTS
OPPORTUNITY AREA
IDEAS
CONCEPT
How might we …?

People often talk about the challenges they’re facing by using language that can inhibit creativity instead of encouraging it.
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Destroy creativity! Because they are implying judgment.
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It starts with a simple question based on an insight you have found.
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„I have to go to several supermarkets to get everything I need in an organic quality.“
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Your insight: „Buying organic is not as convenient as regular food“

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How might we …?

„How might we design better food packaging?“
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How might we improve access to a broad range of organic food?
How might we ...?

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We call them „opportunity areas“. 
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... by freezing milk and selling it in ice cube blocks
... by offering a home delivery service
„How Might We“ translates user research findings and insights into opportunity areas as a first step towards ideas. It helps to create a broader perspective on a topic and challenge an insight in different ways first - before creating ideas.
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In summary

1. Take an insight from your research and use How Might We to tackle it.

2. Come up with as many HMWs you can come up with - always challenging your insight.
Now:
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1 Slide = 1 Insight + 1 HMW
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