Considering your thoughts on your chosen area of interest for your project:

- Which of the methods described in this week's reading would you think would suit your purpose?
- Which data collection methods would you consider using?
- Which required skills will you need to have or develop for the chosen project?

My chosen area of interest is cybersecurity, focussing on state-sponsored cyberterrorism. To narrow it down even further, I have chosen to analyze the impact of state-sponsored attacks by the United States, Russia, and China.

Which of the methods described in this week's reading would you think would suit your purpose?

If possible, I think finding and analyzing a case study would be very effective for this topic, because it would give us primary and secondary data on events that occurred in the past. Using an exploratory methodology and a qualitative approach would allow me to study recent attacks, the reasons for said attacks, their impact, as well as the legal and ethical justification (or the lack thereof).

Which data collection methods would you consider using?

Based on my chosen area of interest, I believe that data could be efficiently gathered by focussing on case studies, statistics, and text analysis. If possible, conducting interviews with subject matter experts, professionals, and/or government employees may be a great way to discover and collect relevant data.