

Networking at a careers event

2 Which of these answers is not an appropriate response?

- 1 Starting a conversation: 'Sorry, could I just ask you a few questions about your company?'
a Sure, go ahead. b Oh, really? c Yes, of course.
- 2 Showing interest: 'After college, I went to Salamanca to study Economics.'
a That's interesting. b Uh-huh. c Here's my card.
- 3 Closing a conversation: 'Enjoy the rest of the event.'
a I really appreciate your time, thank you. b That sounds exciting. c It's been nice talking to you.

3 Complete the conversations using the words in the box.

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- 1 A: Can I talk to you for a _____?
B: Of course, how can I help?

- 4 A: I'd like to ask you a few _____.
B: Sure. Go ahead.

- 2 A: Thank you for your time. I really _____ it.
B: Thank you, too. It was a pleasure talking to you.

- 5 A: Do you have a few minutes to _____ your new service?
B: Absolutely.

- 3 A: I've got some great news about our sales!
B: Have you? That sounds _____.

- 6 A: We need to discuss the report in more _____.
B: We do. Could I give you a(n) _____?