TRANSDISCIPLINARY **CHALLENGE-BASED LEARNING Multi-Stakeholder Co-Creation Combining Engineering Technology and Social Sciences**





• The increased adoption of CBL may create saturation in the willingness of external stakeholders to be challenge providers

RESEARCH QUESTION

- 1) How to create value for the challenge provider, so that they will continue their collaboration with the UT?
- 2) How to integrate a singular challenge into multiple courses, ensuring students' rich learning experience?

METHODOLOGY

We integrated two 5-EC courses (Change Making and Systems Thinking) into one, 10-EC Leading Systemic Change course package.

Mixed-methods data was gathered throughout the courses, among challenge providers, students, and teachers: 1. Panel Meeting Discussions (n = 13) 2. Dairy-Style Logbooks (n = 10)3. Surveys (n = 6)4. Testimonials (n = 5)

- We aimed to better understand how to create value for external stakeholders and enrich student's learning experience
- We did so by **upscaling CBL into two courses** in UT's award-winning Transdisciplinary Master-Insert engaging one single challenge

RESULTS*

- Bi-weekly project meetings to **co-create the solutions** increased stakeholder value
- Multi-perspective transdisciplinary education enriched students' learning experience



Before	During	After the Challenge
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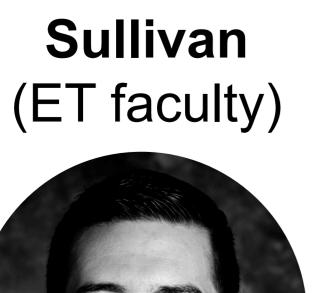
Transcribed data was coded in iterative rounds by multiple, independent coders, using grounded theory and Gioia's way to thematically structure the data

- Challenge provider: "It exceeded my expectations. I was not sure how the merging of the courses would be like in practice. It is difficult to see in advance what the dynamics will be like."
- Students: "The combination of Change Making and Systems Thinking was really really good!" and "At some point students" knew more than the teachers about the challenge."
- Teachers: "The tools given, lecture slides, and explanations" were to a large extend oriented towards the challenge" and "Alignment between the teacher team is key."

OUR TEAM

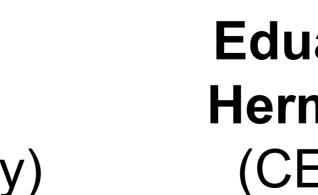
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