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In the current context of developments in new technologies and educational policies, school leaders are increasingly called upon to promote and support innovation. Innovation should therefore be seen as a vector for progress and an opportunity for change. However, headteachers cannot innovate in place of teachers, except in terms of management, the management of structures, resources and, more generally, the organization of work within the schools. In this workshop, it will not be a question of analysing innovation from the point of view of the theory of organizations or of change, but more simply, echoing the general theme of the WELS, of reflecting together on the basis of the experience of the participants. We will work on identifying a) success factors b) limiting factors c) how to keep the focus on learning and innovation in running an institution.