Changes to the
Grant Guidelines for the Discovery Program (2018)

Note: this list contains the major changes to the guidelines since last year, and is not to be taken as exhaustive. Please consult the Grant Guidelines or contact your research office for further clarification.

- The format and content of the guidelines has changed in line with the move to the whole of government grant guidelines template. This includes the use of standard terms such as ‘grant opportunity’ (rather than scheme round), ‘grant funds’ (rather than Project funding) and ‘application’ (rather than Proposal).

- ‘Emeritus Appointment’ has been changed to ‘honorary academic appointment’ (at D3.9 and E3.8) with no change to the definition as listed in the Glossary from last year.

- Discovery Indigenous: Investigator assessment criteria now includes ‘evidence of research training, mentoring and supervision (where appropriate)’ (D5).

- There have been no other changes to the policy intent of the ARC Discovery Program since the previous selection round and Funding Rules.