

ARC salary and stipend rates for Discovery and Linkage for 2012

For projects commencing in 2012

Award	Step/Option	Salary	28% On-Costs	TOTAL
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discovery Outstanding Researcher Award (DORA) 	Step 1	\$100,494	\$28,138	\$128,632
	Step 2	\$121,652	\$34,062	\$155,714
	Step 3	\$142,806	\$39,986	\$182,792
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discovery Indigenous Award (DIA) 	Step 1	\$66,406	\$18,594	\$85,000
	Step 2	\$78,125	\$21,875	\$100,000
	Step 3	\$101,563	\$28,437	\$130,000
	Step 4	\$117,188	\$32,812	\$150,000
	Step 5	\$140,625	\$39,375	\$180,000
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discovery Early Career Researcher Award (DECRA) 		\$66,406	\$18,594	\$85,000

For projects commencing in 2007 and later

Fellowship	Step/Option	Salary	28% On-Costs	TOTAL
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian Postdoctoral Fellowship (APD)/ • Australian Postdoctoral Fellowship Industry (APDI)/ • Indigenous Researcher Fellowship (IRF) 		\$67,448	\$18,886	\$86,334
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian Research Fellowship (ARF)/ • Australian Research Fellowship – Indigenous (ARF-I)/ • Queen Elizabeth II Fellowship (QEII) 	Step 1	\$84,595	\$23,687	\$108,282
	Step 2	\$100,600	\$28,168	\$128,768

• Australian Professorial Fellowship (APF)	Step 1	\$116,604	\$32,650	\$149,254
	Step 2	\$134,896	\$37,772	\$172,668
• Federation Fellowship (FF)		\$286,905	\$80,333	\$367,238
• Future Fellowship (FT)	Step 1	\$104,360	\$29,222	\$133,582
	Step 2	\$126,331	\$35,373	\$161,704
	Step 3	\$148,301	\$41,525	\$189,826
• Australian Laureate Fellowship (FL)		\$109,852	\$30,760	\$140,612
• Postdoctoral Research Associate (PDRA)		\$67,448	\$18,886	\$86,334
• Postgraduate Researcher (PGR)		\$28,716	N/A	\$28,716
• Super Science Fellowship (FS)		\$76,475	\$21,413	\$97,888

For projects commencing in 2006 and before

Fellowship	Step/Option	Salary	26% On-Costs	TOTAL
• Australian Postdoctoral Fellowship (APD)/ • Australian Postdoctoral Fellowship Industry (APDI)		\$67,448	\$17,538	\$84,986
• Australian Research Fellowship (ARF)/ • Queen Elizabeth II Fellowship (QEII)	Step 1	\$84,595	\$21,995	\$106,590
	Step 2	\$100,600	\$26,156	\$126,756
• Australian Professorial Fellowship (APF)	Step 1	\$116,604	\$30,318	\$146,922
	Step 2	\$134,896	\$35,074	\$169,970
• Federation Fellowship (FF)		\$286,905	\$74,595	\$361,500

Australian Postgraduate Award Industry (APAI)

Amount paid to institutions for projects commencing in 2005 and after

- Full Year \$28,715
- Half Year \$14,357

Annual stipend rates for students

- Full-time \$28,715 (tax free)
- Part-time \$15,684 (part-time stipends are taxable)

ARC Allowances for 2012

Fellows

Relocation (Maximum) Allowances

- North America \$17,000
- Europe/Asia (Northern Hemisphere)/Africa/South America \$14,000
- Asia (Southern Hemisphere)/Oceania \$11,000
- within Australia \$ 8,000

APAI

Relocation and Thesis Allowances for projects commencing in 2005 and after

Relocation

- \$505 per adult
- \$255 per child
- \$1,520 maximum

Travel – Economy or student concession airfares

Thesis - Payable for PhD or Masters thesis upon submission of a valid claim on completion of the project (*see Schedule D of Funding Agreement*).

- \$840 for a PhD thesis
- \$420 for a Masters thesis