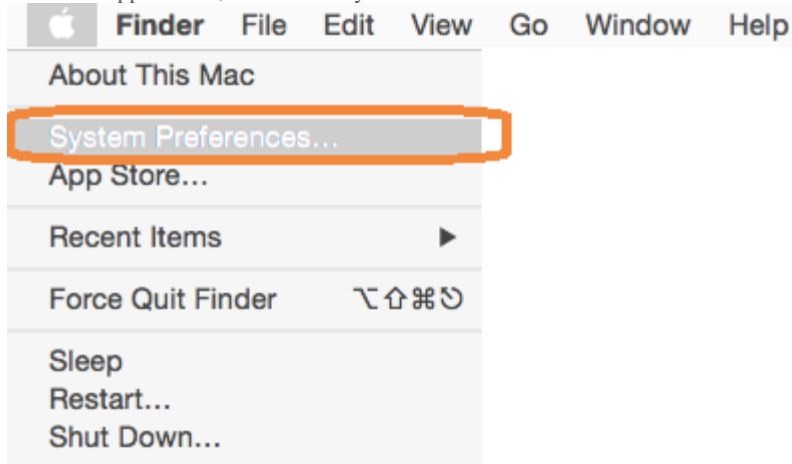# Configuring your Mac Computer for RemoteApp

To configure your Mac with OSX 10.7 or higher to connect to RemoteApp, please follow the instructions below:
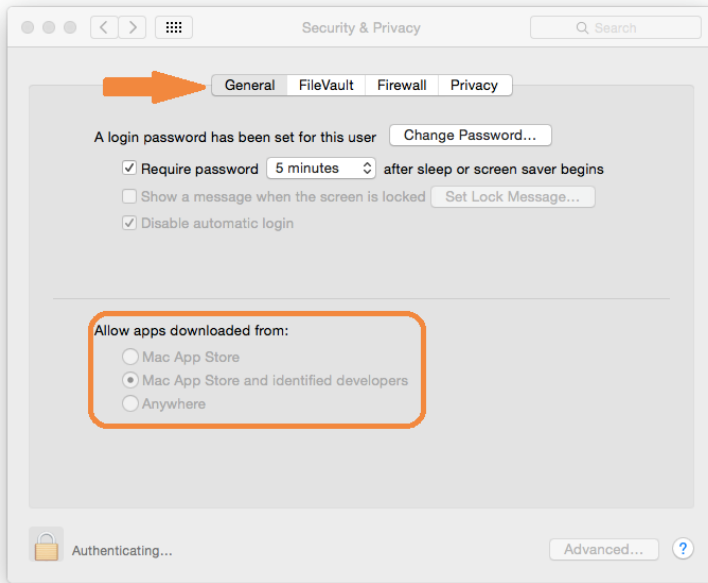
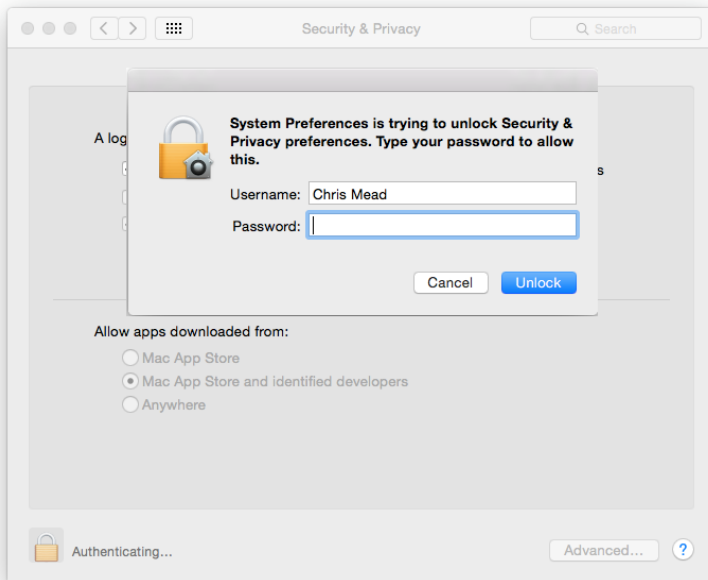1. Click the Apple menu, and select "System Preferences":


2. In the top row, click on "Security & Privacy":

3. Make sure the General button is selected at the top, then look for the section titled "Allow apps downloaded from" (if you do not see this, proceed directly to step 7 below):
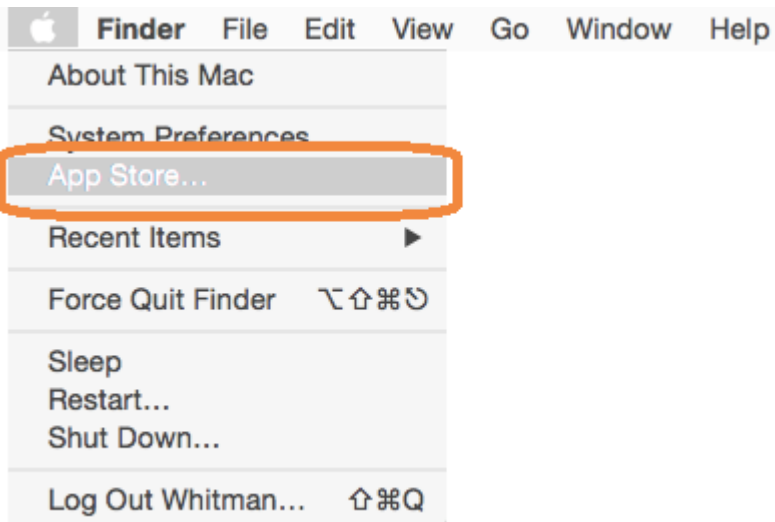

4. Click the lock in the lower left corner to make changes, and enter your Mac password when you're asked for it:
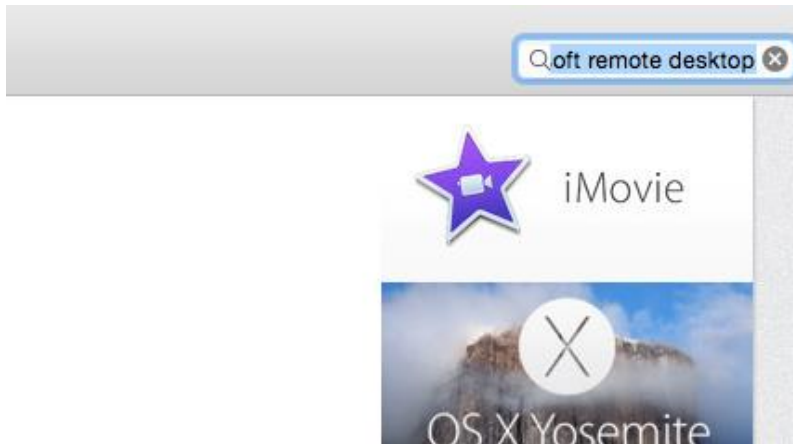
5. Under "Allow apps downloaded from:" select "Anywhere" if it isn't already selected. A dialog will pop up warning that "Choosing 'Anywhere' makes your Mac less secure." Click "Allow from anywhere".
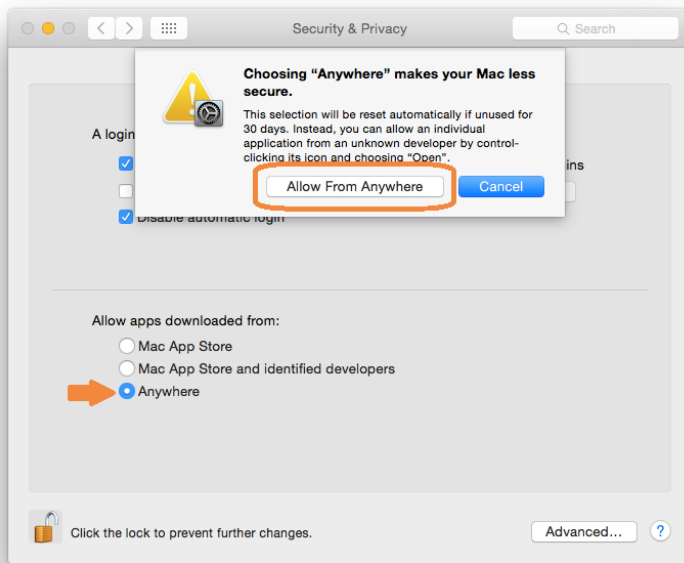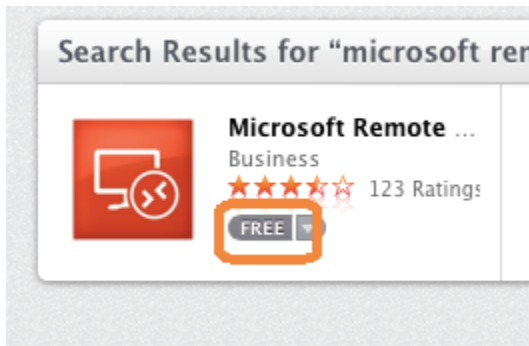

6. Close System Preferences.
7. Click the Apple menu, and select "App Store":
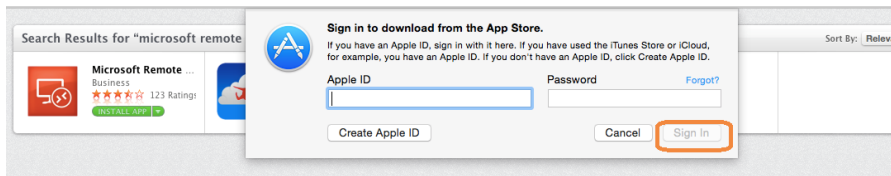
8. Search for Microsoft Remote Desktop:
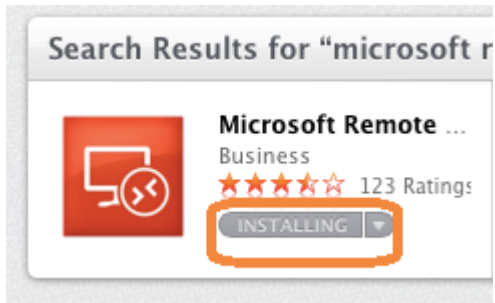

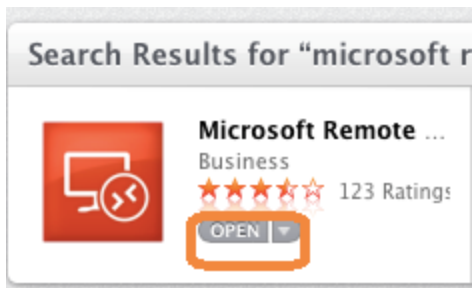9. Click on "Free":

10. Click on "Install App":

11. If you are asked for your apple ID and password, enter it, and click continue:
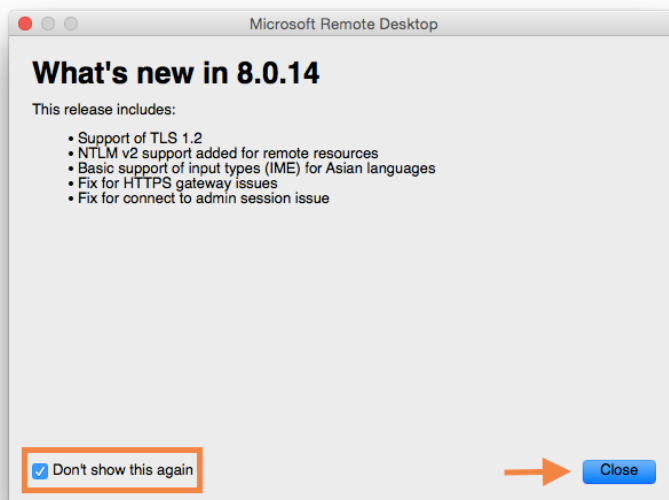
12. You will see "Installing":

13. When it's installed, click on "Open":

14. Open Microsoft Remote Desktop. The first time you run it you will probably see a dialog similar to the one below. Click "Don't show this again", then click "Close", as shown:

15. You should see the main Microsoft Remote Desktop app window. You won't see anything just yet; we need to configure it. To start, click "Remote Resources", as highlighted below:
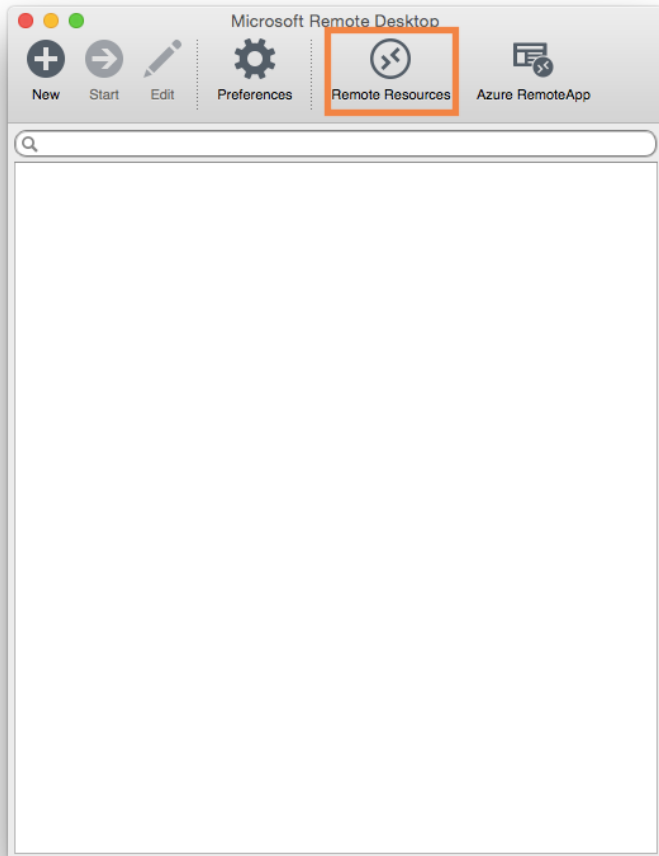
16. In the URL Field, type "https://gilead.engr.washington.edu/rdweb/feed/webfeed.aspx", then use your NETID\<netid> and password in the fields below, and click "Refresh":
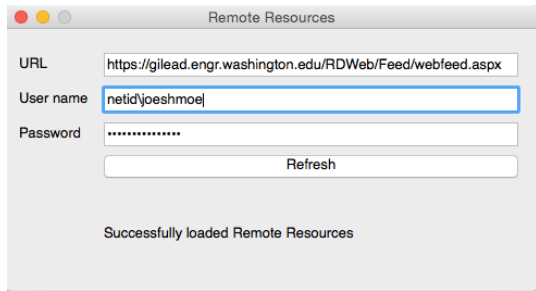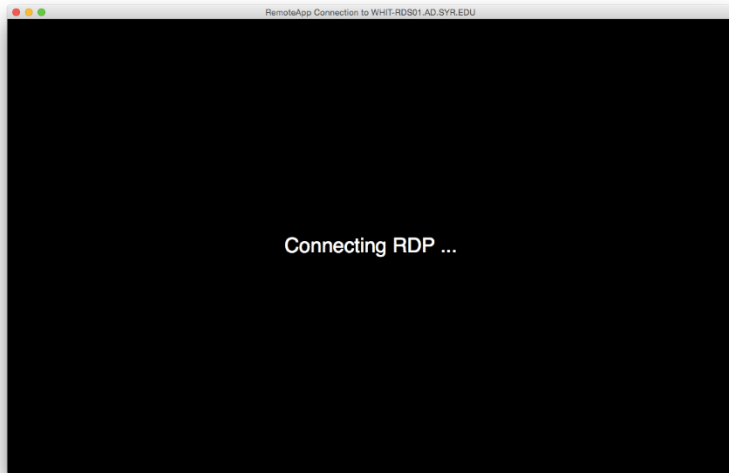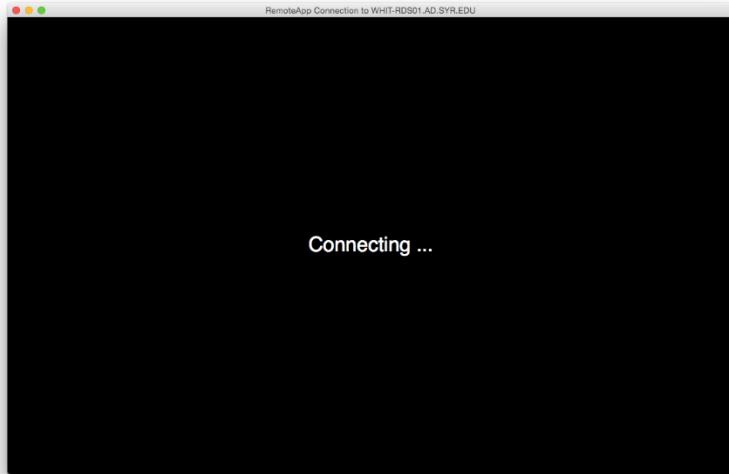
17. You should see a success message similar to the one below:
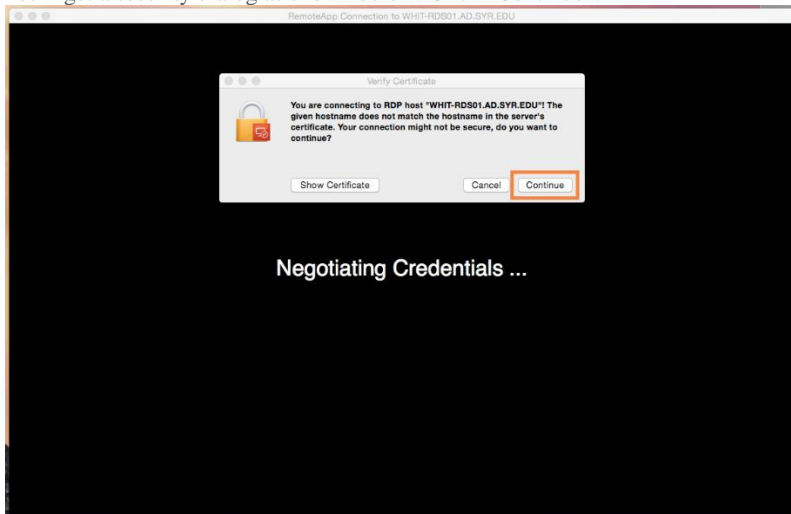

18. Close the Remote Resources pane. You should now see all the resources that you have access to within COE instance of RemoteApp:
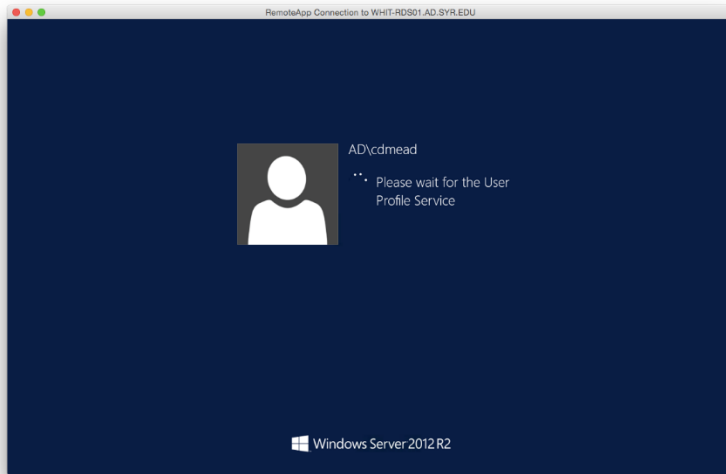

19. Double click on any one of the applications, and you'll see a black window up showing the following dialogs:

Connecting ...

Connecting RDP ...

20. You'll get a security dialog as shown below. Click "Continue":

Verify Certificate

You are connecting to RDP host "WHIT-RDS01.AD.SYR.EDU"! The given hostname does not match the hostname in the server's certificate. Your connection might not be secure, do you want to continue?

Show Certificate   Cancel   Continue

Negotiating Credentials ...

21. You will then see a window similar to a WIndows 8.1 login progress screen:

22. Finally, your application will run:
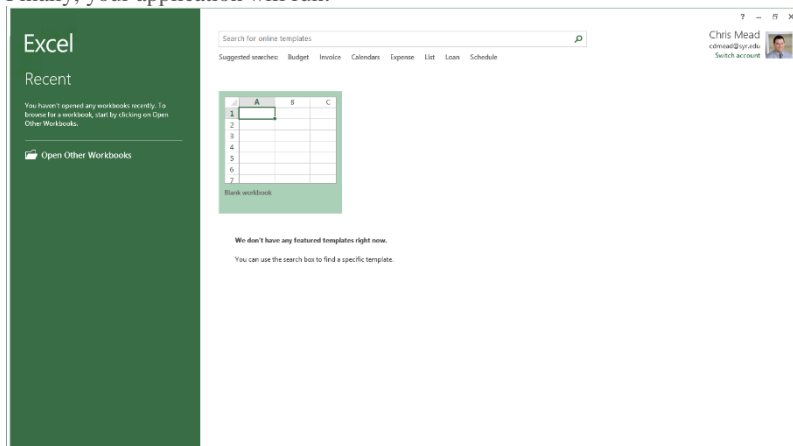
When you're done, simply close your app