

# Connecting to Remote Desktop Services from Apple Mac to an Apple Mac

In order to connect to Remote Desktop Services from an Apple Macintosh:

- Determine that your OS meets the minimum requirement.
- Install the Microsoft Remote Desktop App.
- Connect to Remote Desktop Services.



Once the connection is established, you can use all of your work computer's programs, files, and network resources from your home computer, and it's just like you're sitting in front of your computer at work.

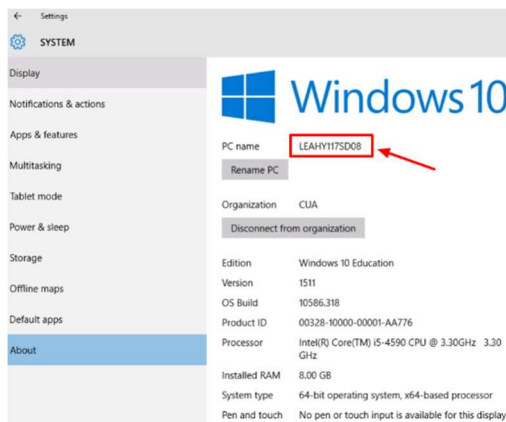
## To Connect to a Remote Computer

- Remote computer must be turned on,
- It must have a network connection,
- Remote Desktop must be enabled,
- You must have network access to the remote computer (this should be through VPN),
- and you must have permission to connect.

Before you start a connection, it's a good idea to look up the name of the computer you're connecting to

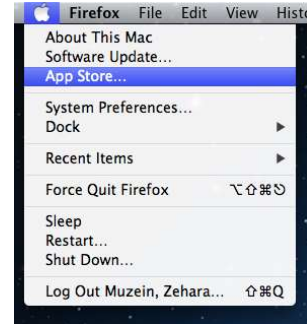
## How to Look Up Remote Computer Name

- 1) Click on **Start** button 
- 2) Select **Settings**  

- 3) In **System**, scroll down to **About**.
- 4) Beside **PC name**, you can find your computer name (if your computer is on a domain)



## How to Install the Microsoft Remote Desktop

- 1) Click the **Apple** menu, and then click **App Store**.



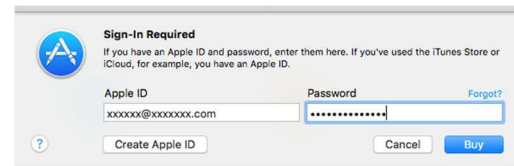
- 2) Search for and then select **Microsoft Remote Desktop**



**\*\* IMPORTANT: The minimum OS X requirement to perform the procedures in the tip sheet is Apple Macintosh OS X 10.9 or higher. Ensure that your computer meets the minimum requirement\*\***

- 3) Click the **Get** button. The Get button changes to the Install App button.

**\*\*Prompt to enter your apple ID might pop up\*\***

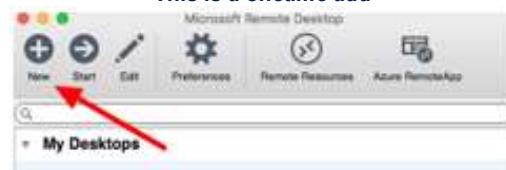


- 4) Click the **Install App** button. When installation is complete, the Install App button changes to **Open**.



- 5) In the **Microsoft Remote Desktop** box, click on **NEW**.

**\*\*This is a onetime add\*\***

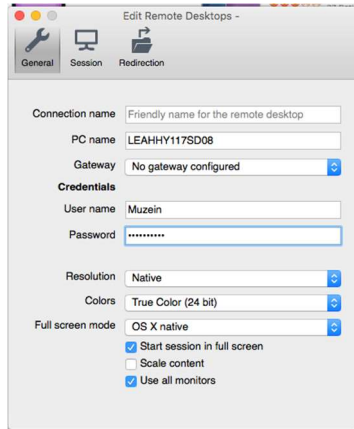


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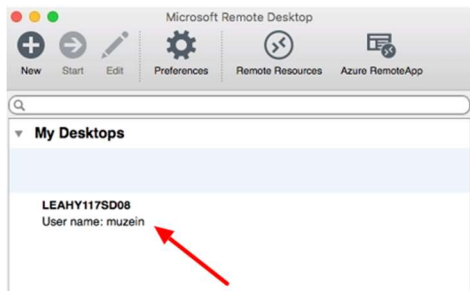
- 6) In the **Edit Remote Desktop** box, type the name of the computer that you want to connect to, and then enter your **CUA Windows Credentials** to login to the **Remote Desktop**. (You can also type the IP address instead of the computer name.)

**\*\*See above for: [How to Look Up Remote Computer Name](#)\*\***

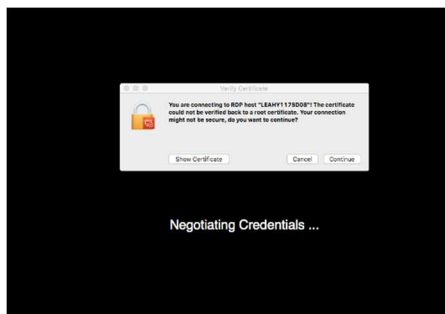
*CUA/UserName*



- 7) Select on the **Remote Desktop Computer Name**.



- 8) **Remote Desktop Computer** is negotiating Credentials to connect.



- 9) **Exit RDP/ view Full Screen** or access the **Remote Menu** by hovering your mouse at the **top of the screen**