

# Lab Environment Connection Instructions

*You should have received a student id (ex: student1) from the lab instructor.*

*\*\*\*Please use that id followed by “@share.conf” as your **lab email address**.*

*Example: student1 will have an email address of student1@share.conf.*

Open a browser window and enter **https://zconnee-lab.github.io/Columbus2022/** into the address bar.

**Under the section entitled “Accessing the hands-on lab”, enter your lab email address in the form and click “Submit”**

Please enter your lab email address (ex: student1@share.conf) to retrieve your unique log in details.

@ Registration Email

Submit

**You will see connection details that look like the example below:**

Using a web browser

Enter this URL address in the browser's URL area:

https://T-32555-130-198-82-235.ibmztrialmachines.com/

Authentication with username: Administrator

Using password: b6w1x6W0K0q4P2Q4DYQg

Or using a Remote Desktop Connection (Preferred)

Enter in the Computer area this host name:

T-32555-130-198-82-235.ibmztrialmachines.com

Follow the PDF instructions above and authenticate with username:

W-32555\Administrator

Same password: b6w1x6W0K0q4P2Q4DYQg

Here is how to use them.

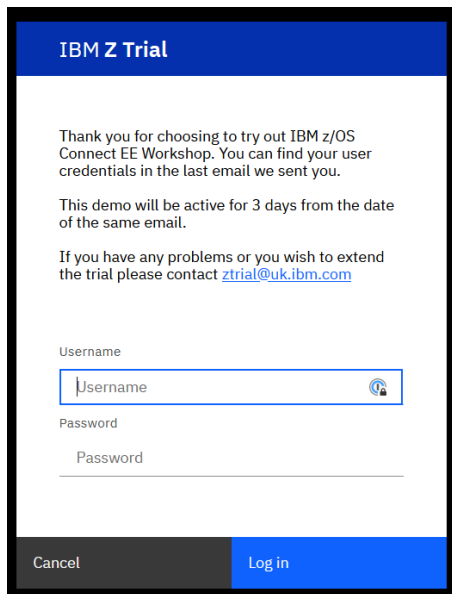
**You have two options for connecting to the remote system:**

**1) Using a Web browser ([page 2](#))**

**2) Using Remote Desktop ([page 3](#))**

## To connect using a **Web browser**:

- Copy the address that appears beneath "URL" in the connection details and paste it into the address bar of your browser.
- The page will then present a login window. Use the username that appears under "User ID for Web browser" in the connection details and the password that appears under "Password" and click "Log In"



The image shows a web browser window titled "IBM Z Trial". The page has a blue header with the title. Below the header, there is a white area with the following text:

Thank you for choosing to try out IBM z/OS Connect EE Workshop. You can find your user credentials in the last email we sent you.

This demo will be active for 3 days from the date of the same email.

If you have any problems or you wish to extend the trial please contact [ztrial@uk.ibm.com](mailto:ztrial@uk.ibm.com)

Below the text, there are two input fields:

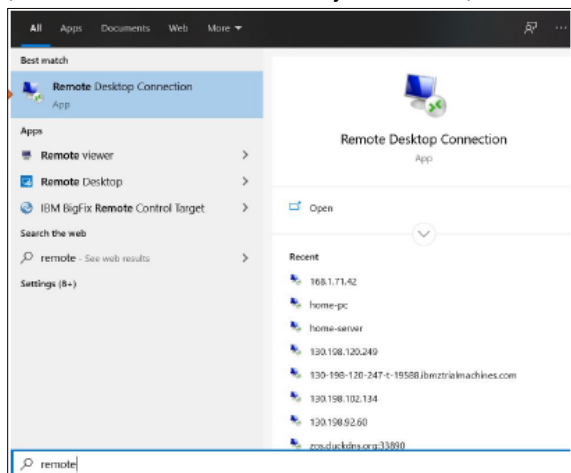
Username

Password

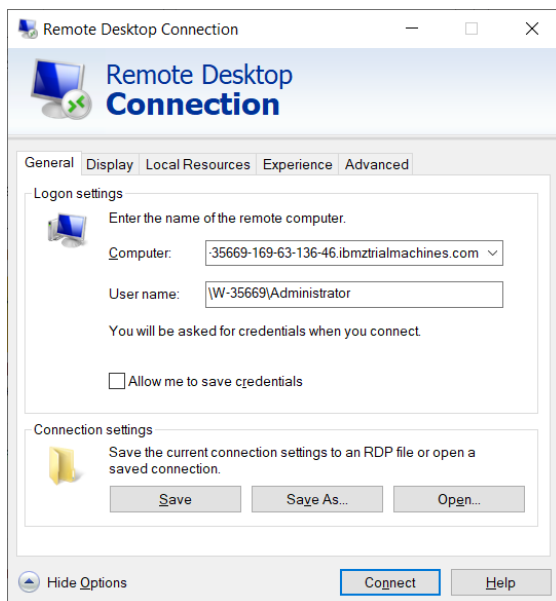
At the bottom of the window, there are two buttons: "Cancel" and "Log in".

## To connect through **Remote Desktop**:

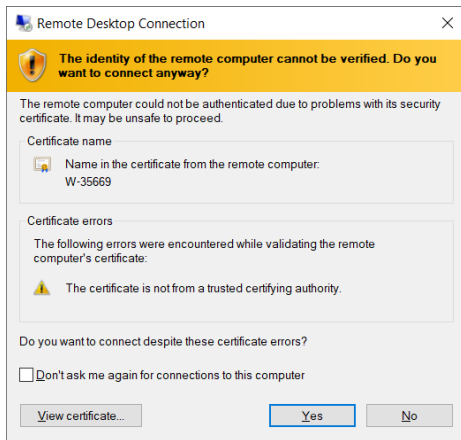
- On your workstation, open the "Remote Desktop Connection" application  
(Click "Start" icon, then search for "remote")



- At the "Computer" prompt, paste the details that appear under "IP Address for Remote Desktop"
- Click the button next to "Show Details" to expose more connection options
- At the "User name" prompt, place a "\", then paste the details under "User ID for Remote Desktop"



- Click "Connect"
- At "Enter your Credentials" popup, paste the value that appears under "Password" and click "OK"
- You may have to accept a certificate



**A window should appear with a remote desktop connection**