# Instructions for ActivityWatch and Polling UI setup (Windows)

As a result of this instructions, ActivityWatch, Input monitoring and Polling UI will all be run at user login.

## ActivityWatch

1. Disable any antivirus programs so they cannot prevent ActivityWatch and its extensions from running.
2. Install ActivityWatch according to instructions in readme here: <https://github.com/pietrobarbiero/trust-me-setup/tree/main/installers/activitywatch>

Additional guidelines for installing Input monitoring:

* 1. first clone the trust-me-setup repo <https://github.com/pietrobarbiero/trust-me-setup>
  2. install poetry for python 3.8 (and install python 3.8 if you do not have it)
  3. in command line go to *./installers/activitywatch/aw-watcher-input*
  4. run:
     1. *poetry env use C:\Users\<user>\AppData\Local\Programs\Python\Python38\python.exe*(replace <user>)
     2. *poetry install*
     3. *poetry run aw-watcher-input*
  5. follow guidelines in the readme to add to startup

1. Check *localhost:5600* in your browser if everything works properly.

## Polling UI

1. In the cloned repo *trust-me-setup* we will make use of *./installers/polling\_ui.*
2. Open Task Scheduler:
   1. Press Win + S and type "Task Scheduler".
   2. Click on "Task Scheduler" to open it.
3. Create a new Task:
   1. In Task Scheduler, click on "Create Task..." on the right side under the "Actions" panel.
4. General Settings:
   1. In the "General" tab, name your task (e.g., "Run Python Script").
   2. Optionally, provide a description.
   3. Select "Run only when user is logged on".
   4. Check "Run with highest privileges".
   5. Set “Configure for:” to “Windows 10”
5. Trigger Settings:
   1. Go to the "Triggers" tab and click "New...".
   2. In the "Begin the task" dropdown, select "At log on".
   3. Click "OK".
6. Action Settings:
   1. Go to the "Actions" tab and click "New...".
   2. In the "Action" dropdown, select "Start a program".
   3. In the "Program/script" field, browse and select your Python executable ui.py: eg. *C:\Users\<user>\AppData\Local\Programs\Python\Python312\python.exe*
   4. In the "Add arguments (optional)" field, enter the full path to your Python script: eg. *C: \trust-me-setup\installers \polling\_ui\ui.py*
   5. In the "Start in (optional)" field, you can specify the directory where your script resides.
   6. Click "OK".
7. Conditions:
   1. Go to “Conditions”
   2. Uncheck “Start the task only if computer is on AC power”
8. Settings:
   1. Go to “Settings”
   2. Check: “If the task fails, restart every: 1 minute”
   3. Uncheck: “Stop the task if it runs longer than …”
9. Click "OK" to save the task.
10. You may be prompted to enter your user password to allow the task to run with the specified privileges.

Try to restart your computer. At the login 3 cmd windows should be running – do not get afraid of them and do not close them, please. Otherwise, something won’t work.