

Guide - Setting up OAL Personal Web Pages

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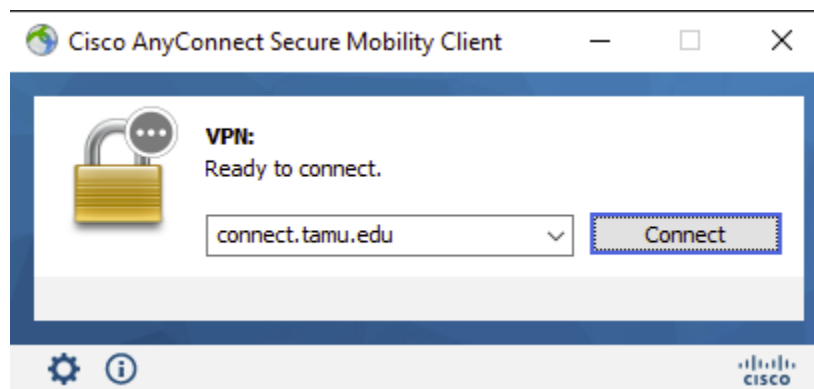
This is a guide for setting up TAMU peoples webpages on windows, linux, and mac

Prerequisites

Before following the rest of this guide, please ensure that you are on the TAMU network, as you will be unable to connect to the OAL network drives on non-TAMU networks. If you are not on campus, please follow instructions below to get connected with the TAMU VPN

Connect to TAMU VPN

1. Visit connect.tamu.edu
2. Enter your NetID (not your UIN) and password
3. Click login which will prompt a silent DUO prompt
4. Go to DUO push and allow
5. Now you will be redirected to a page to download Cisco Secure Client, download and install the client
6. Launch the Cisco Secure Client
7. In the connect to field, type connect.tamu.edu and press connect



8. Enter NetId and password and DUO push again

Enable People's Webpage

1. Visit <https://oalinfo.tamu.edu/Account/ContentPages/ViewAccount.aspx>
2. Go to `set up my webpage` and click enable

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Account Services

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People.tamu.edu WebSpace

Enable

Disable

Enable Web Success at 8/21/2024 8:01:15 AM

<http://people.tamu.edu/~mteng>

Logged into VOAL or OAL? Be sure to log off and back on to get U: drive mapping

Warning: By enabling your people.tamu.edu webspace, you are making all files in your public_html directory viewable by anyone.

- Then go back to `view my account` and copy the `People Web Path`

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Official Name:	Teng, Mengting
OAL Resources:	Home and profile storage enabled
AUTH Account Status:	Account enabled
AUTH Account Last Logon:	7/26/2024 10:22 AM
OAL Home Drive Path:	\\storage.continuum.tamu.edu\ [REDACTED]
OAL Home Drive quota left:	5020 MB free
People Web Space:	http://people.tamu.edu/~mteng was enabled on 8/20/2024 1:55:02 PM
People Web Status:	Tested Okay
People Web Path:	\\storage.continuum.tamu.edu\web [REDACTED]

OAL Security Roles

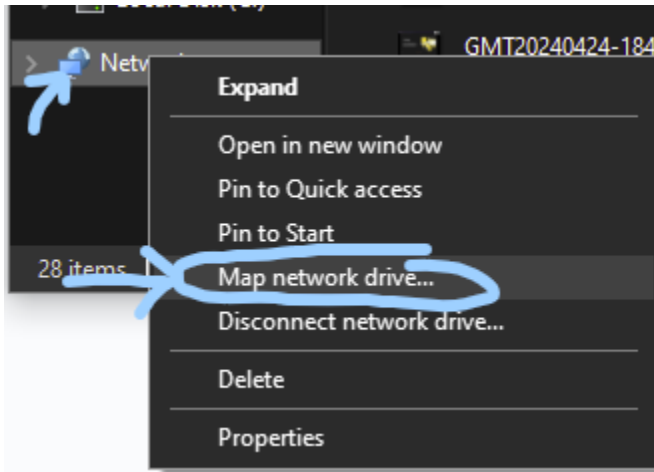
AUTH-OAL-Drives
AUTH-OAL-Printing
AUTH-Staff
AUTH-Students
AUTH-Users
EES-Users

- Now you should be able to visit your <https://people.tamu.edu/~{NetId}>
 - Replace {NetId} with your NetId

Setting up Network Drive

Windows

1. Open File Explorer
2. Right click on `Network` and click `map a network drive`

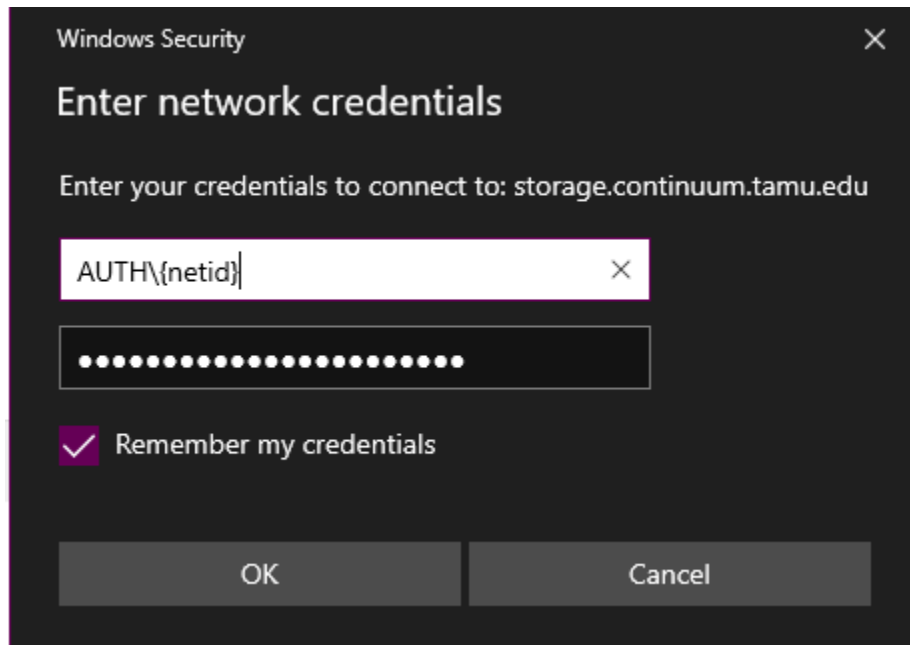


3. For drive, select `U:` and for folder, paste in the `People Web Path:` that you copied from the previous step



4. Click Finish
5. If you cannot type your username, select use a different user

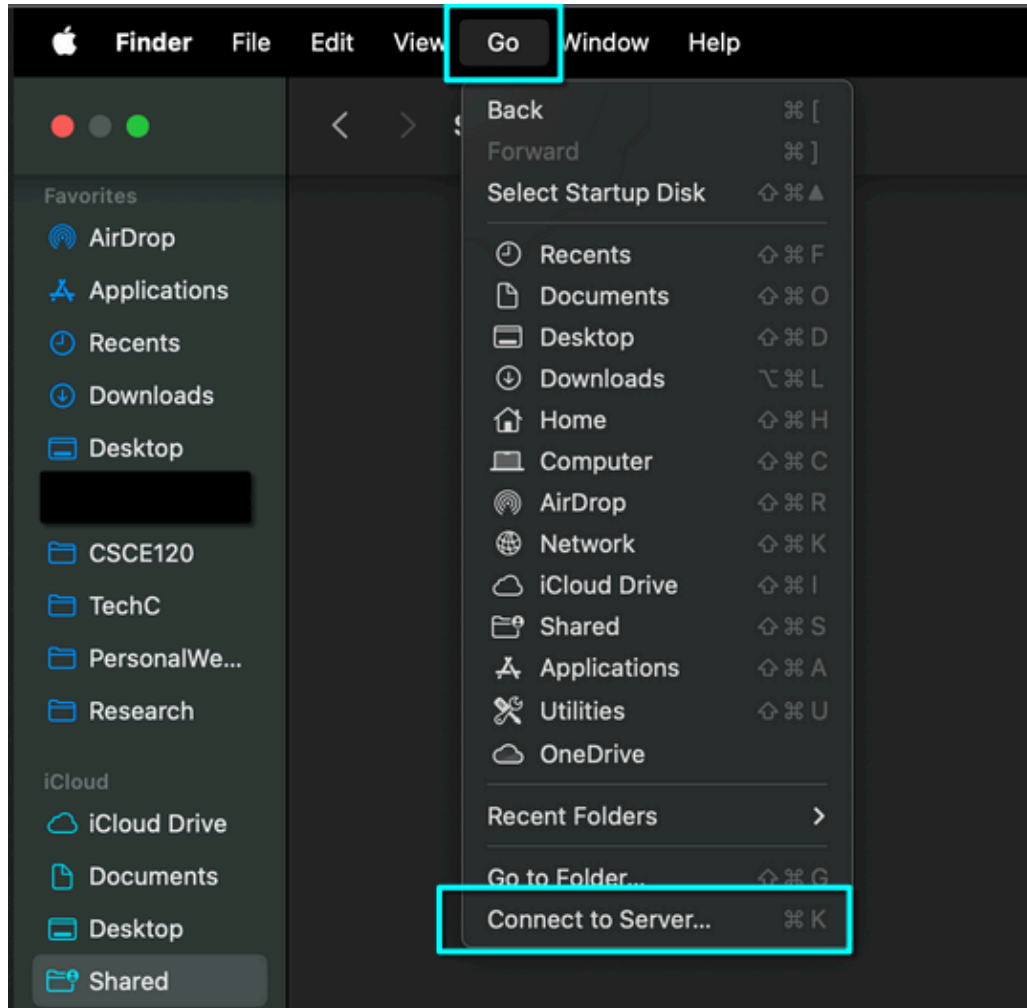
6. For username, type `AUTH\{NetId}` replacing {NetId} with yours, type in your password, and press ok



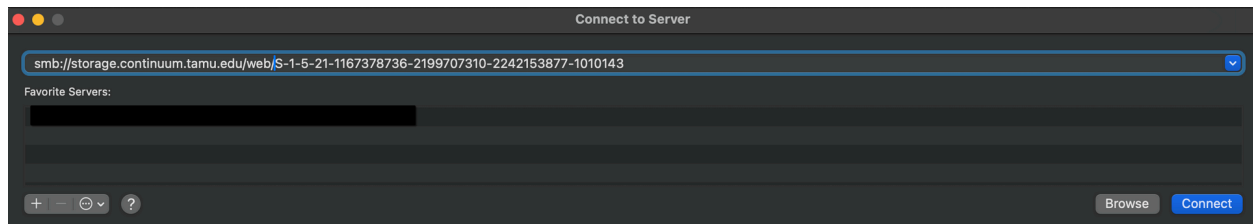
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MacOS

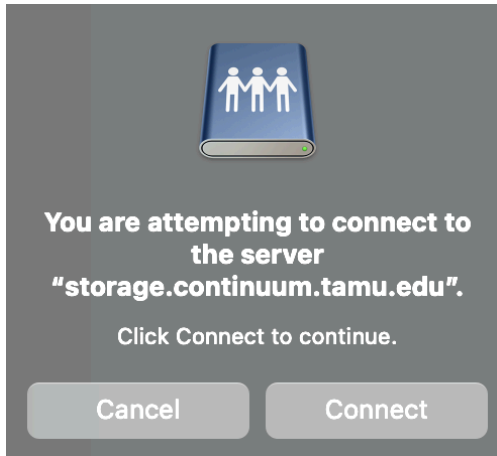
1. Open Finder
2. Press command + K, OR on the top left, click `Go` and then at the bottom click `connect to a server`



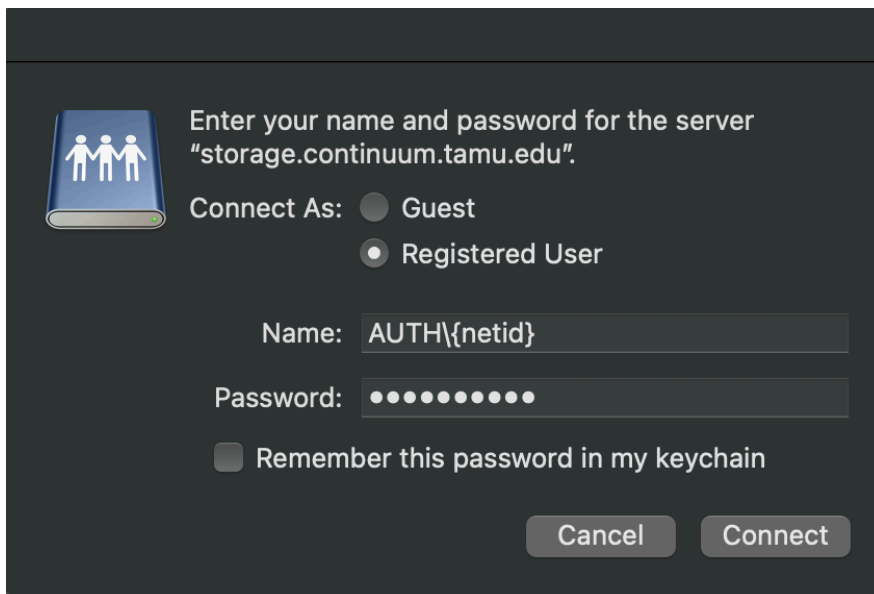
3. In the link, type `smb:` and then past in the peoples link
4. Change all of the `\\` in the link to `/`



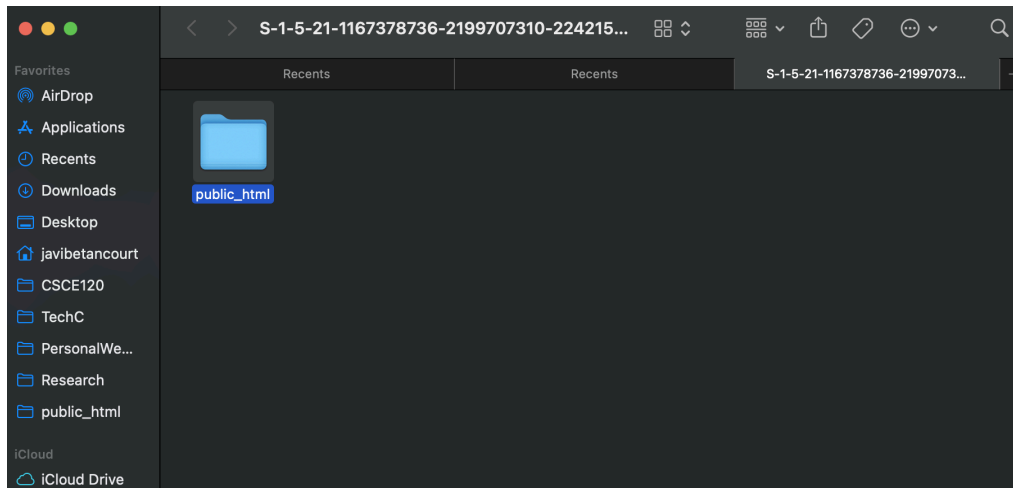
5. Click connect



6. For username, type `AUTH\{NetId}` replacing {NetId} with yours, type in your password, and press ok



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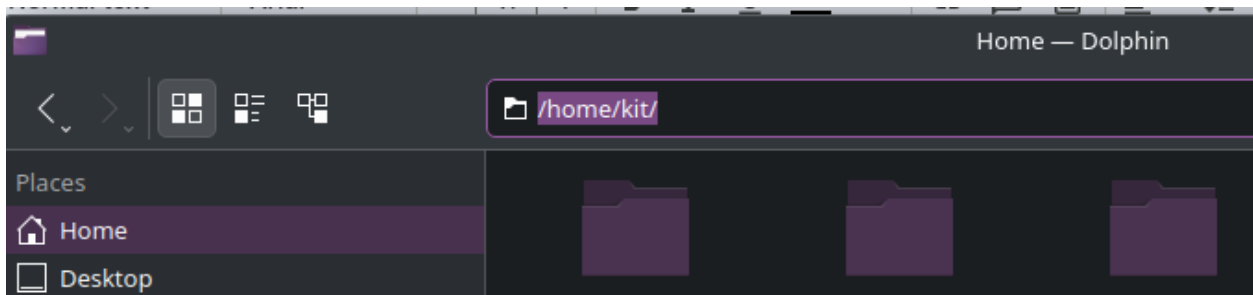


8. You can drag the public_html folder to the side and to create a quick access

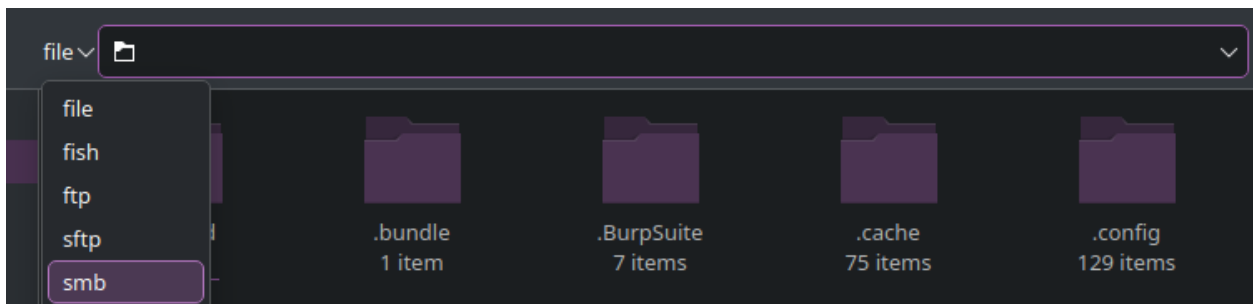
Linux

Note that every linux distribution is a little different, but the steps should be fairly similar. If the following steps don't work, try to look up guides for accessing a network drive on your specific linux distribution

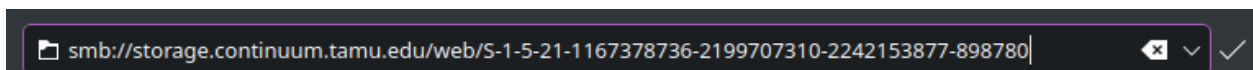
1. Open your File Viewer
2. Type in the directory field, sometimes you have to double click the area



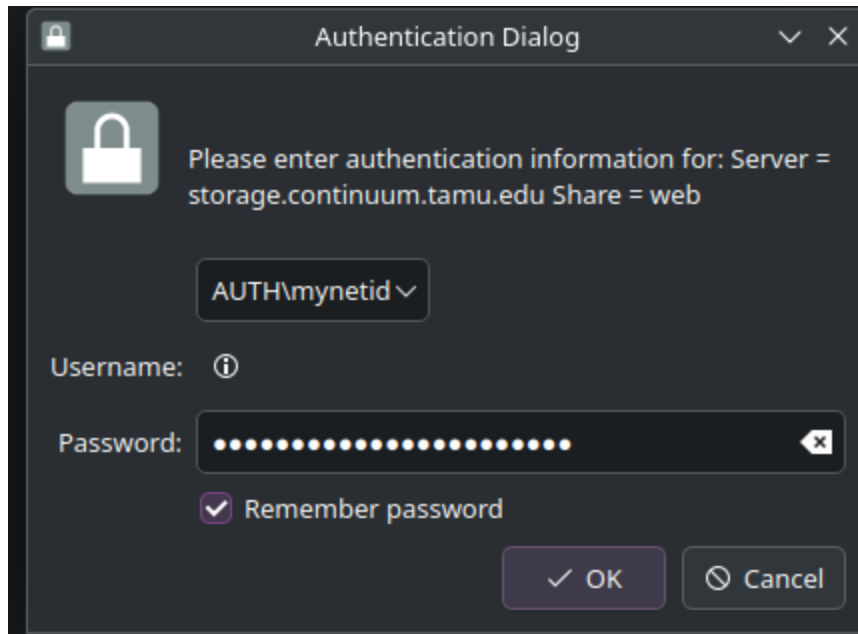
3. Select or type smb (you will likely have to remove /home/name first)



4. Past in your people web path link that you copied from the previous step and replace `` with `/`



5. Press enter or connect and then you will be prompted with a login. For username, type `AUTH{NetId}` replacing {NetId} with yours, type in your password, and press ok



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