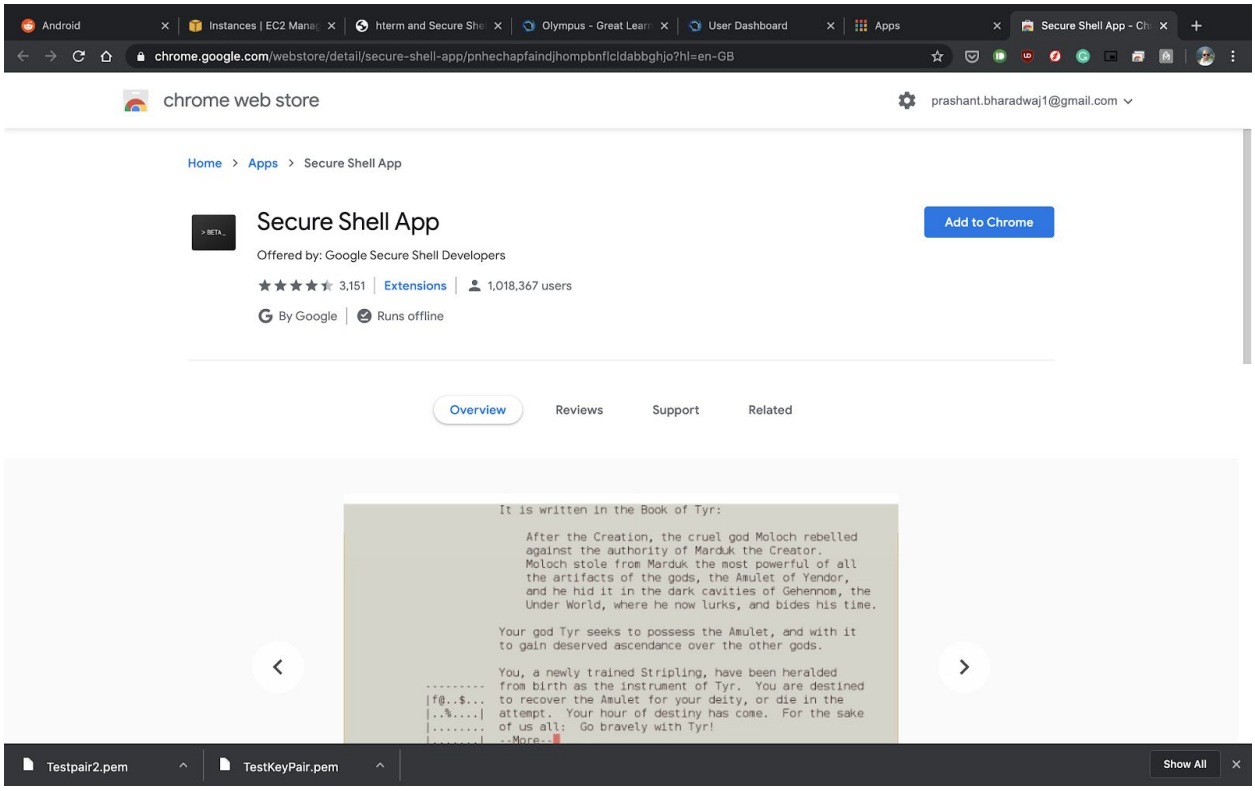
How to install and run the Secure Shell App in Google Chrome

Please note the following before you begin -

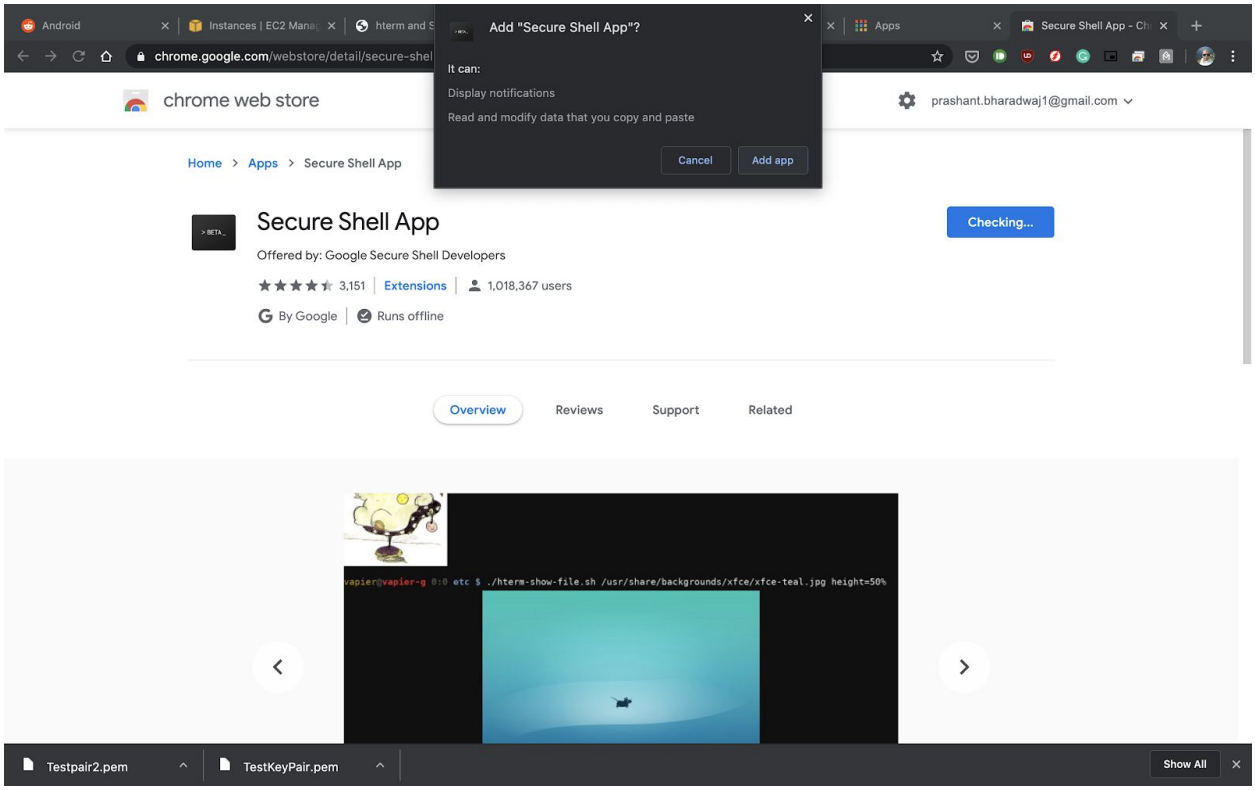
- This application is an alternative way to SSH to instances in the cloud
- This is not an environment to run scripts in your local machine, a local terminal window will be required for that
- This can be used as a quick way to SSH into an instance from a browser
- The following instructions will guide you towards installing and running this application.

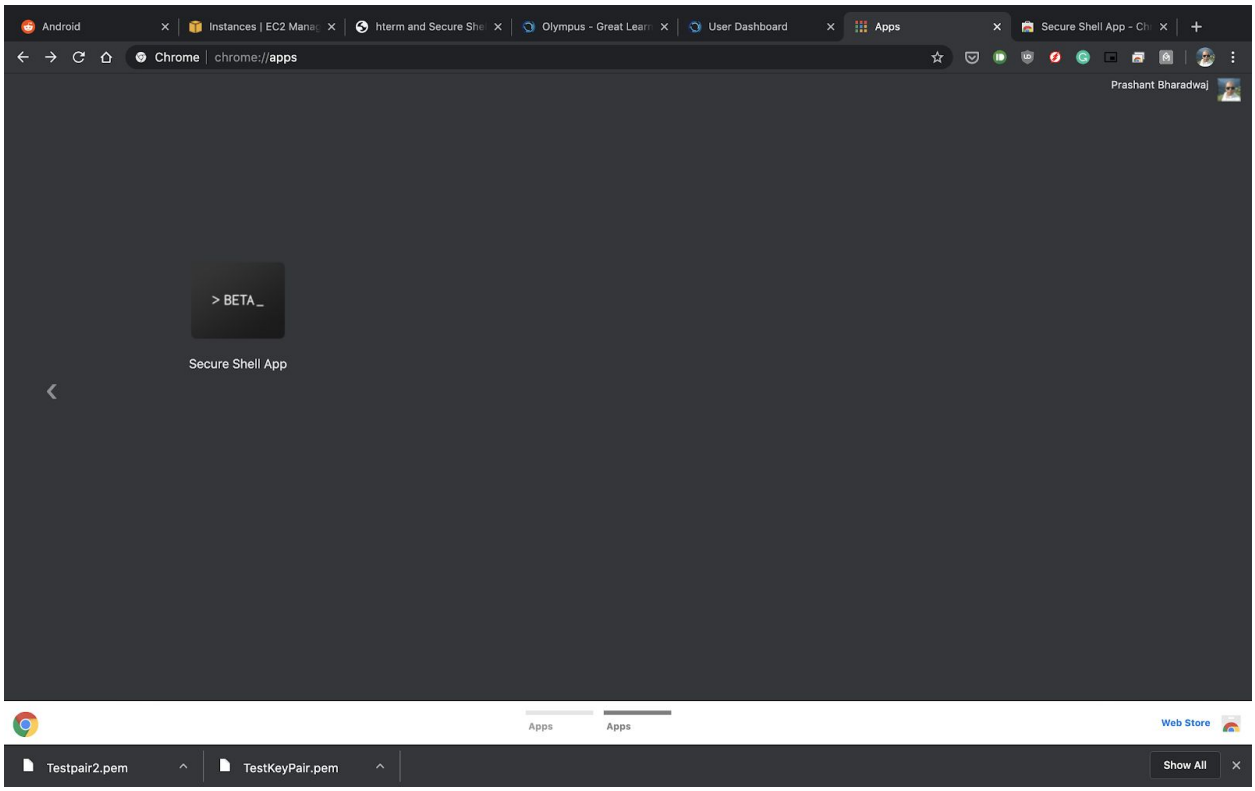
Following are the steps to install, configure and use the Chrome plugin -

1) Click on the following link to open the Chrome store: https://chrome.google.com/webstore/detail/secure-shell-app/pnhechapfaindjhompbnflcldabbghjo?hl=en-GB



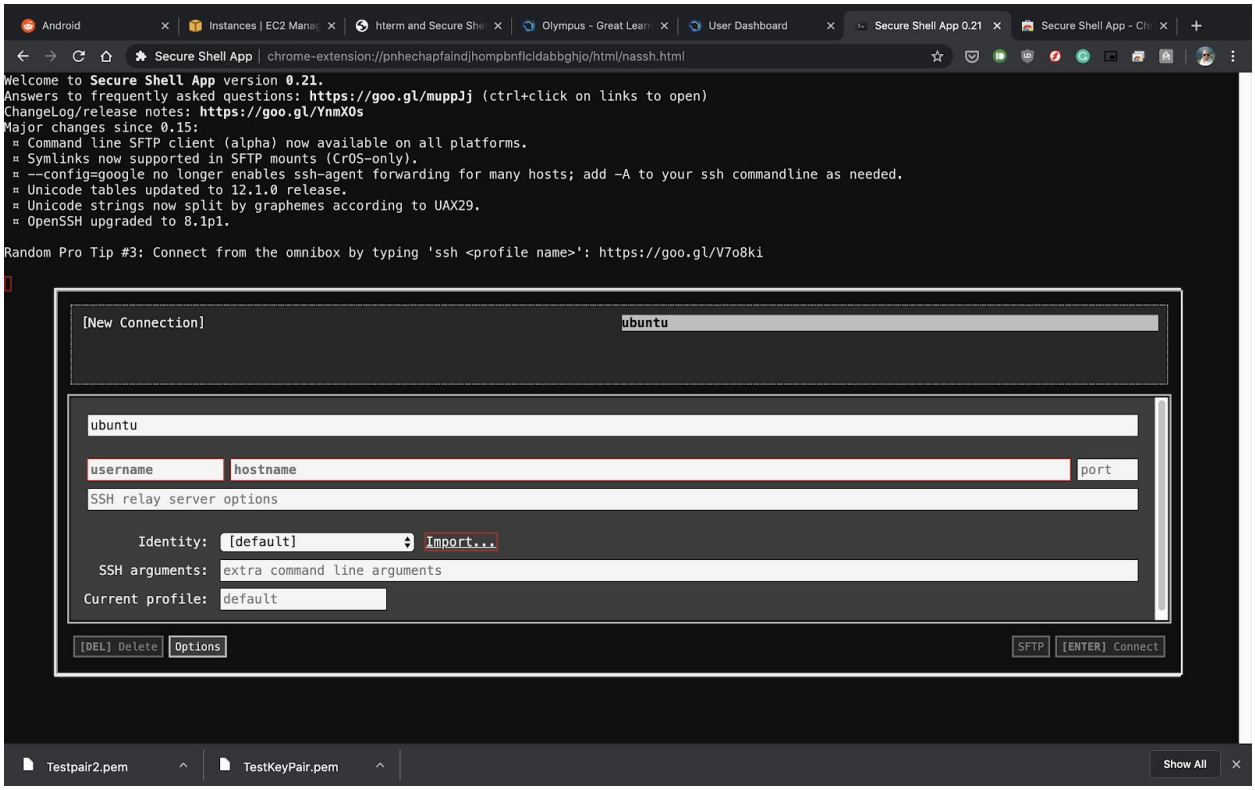
2) Click on the “Add to Chrome” button to install it





This screen can be accessed by opening a new tab in chrome and clicking on the apps button on the upper right side of the window

3) The following screen will be presented on opening the app



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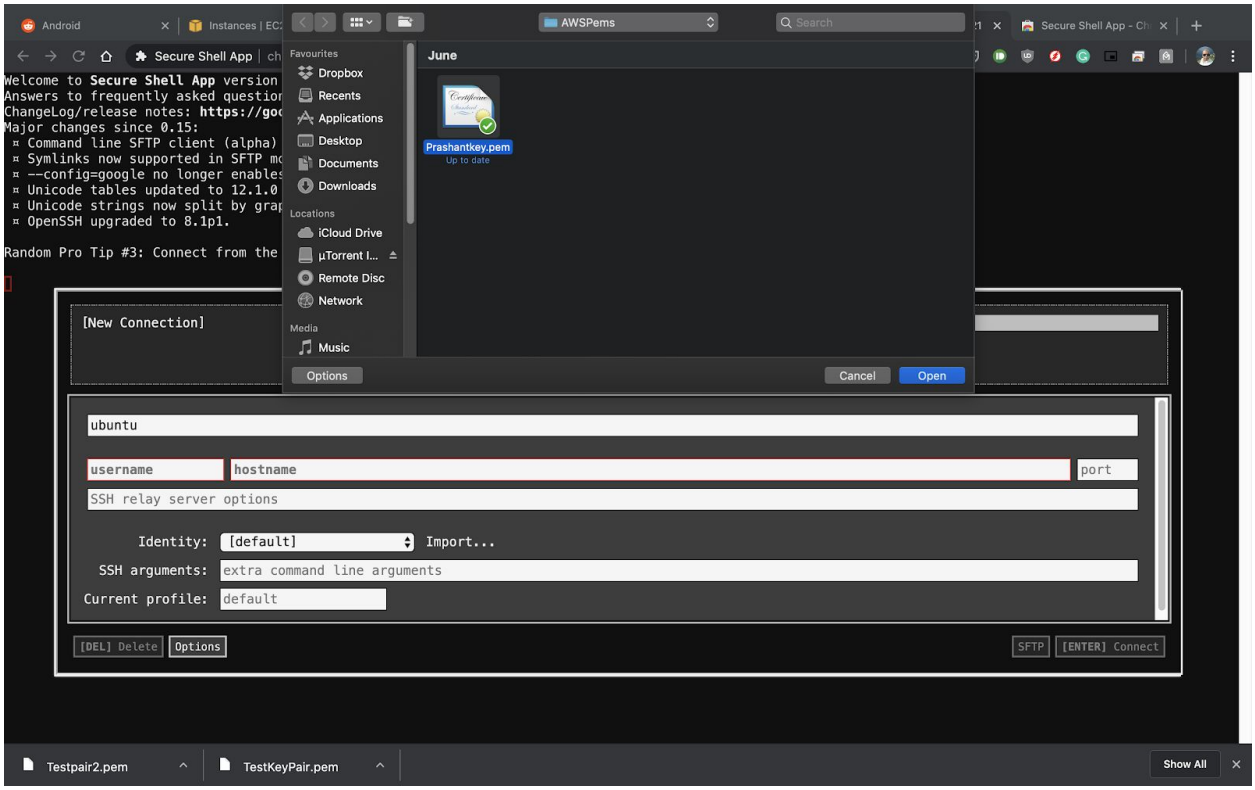
4) Use the Import button next to the Identity field to select the .pem file to upload



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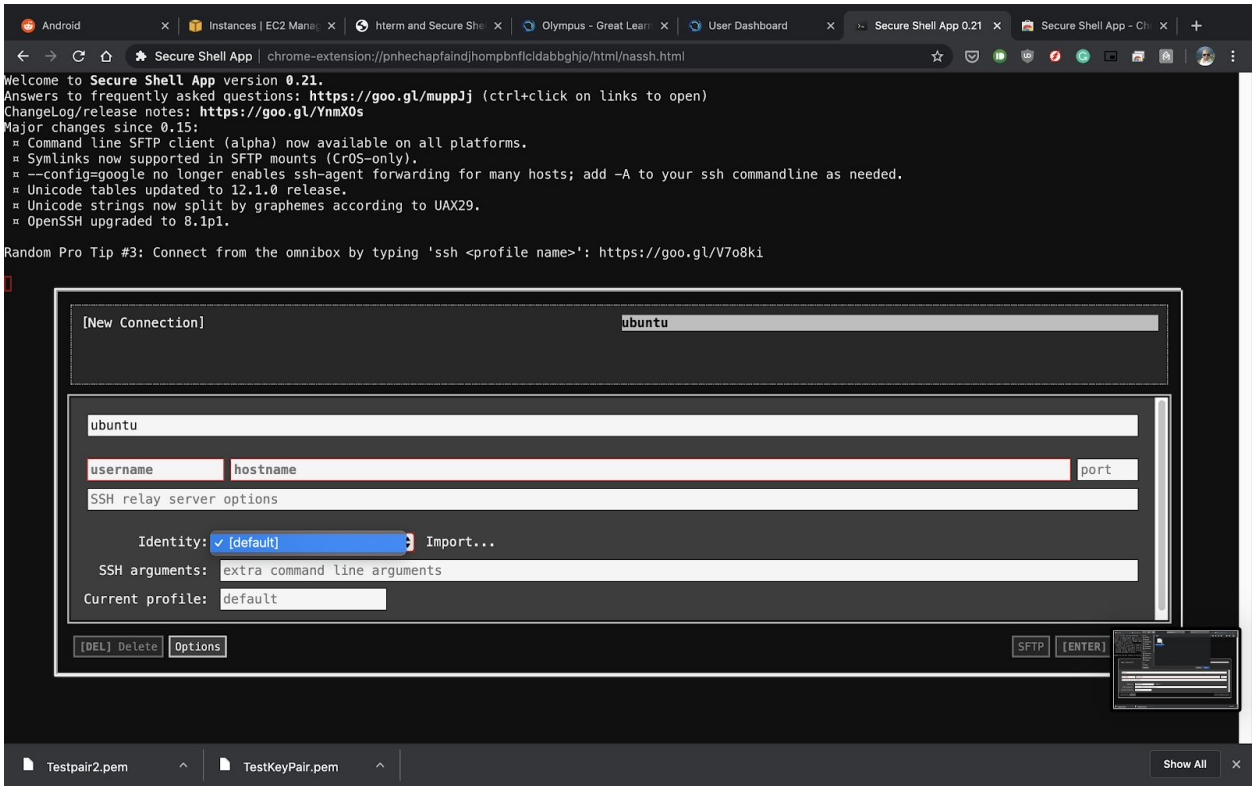
5) The .pem file won't be available in the drop-down list unless the list is refreshed.



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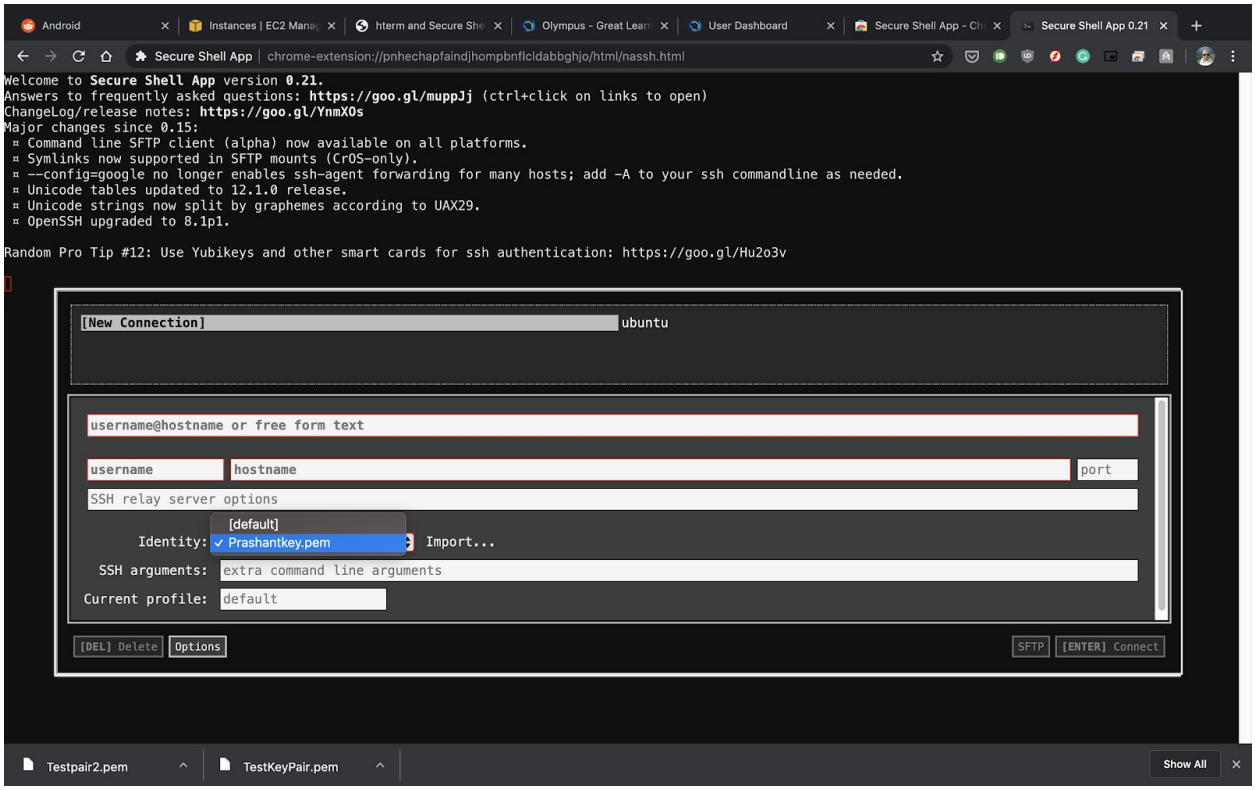
6) Exit and restart the app to refresh the key list. The .pem file should be present in the list after this. This needs to be done only when a new .pem file is added; it is not necessary if the same file is used again.



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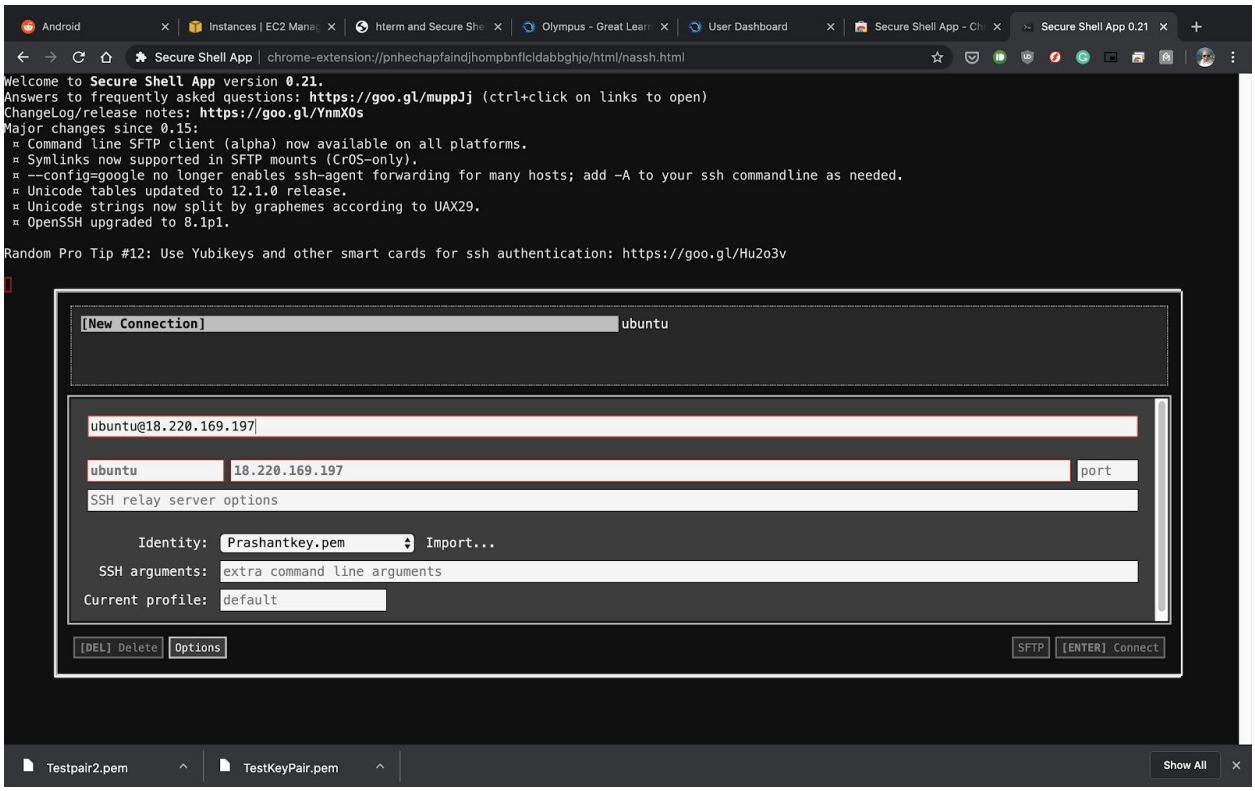
7) Select “New Connection” at the top and enter the username and IP address of the instance in the format ***username@IP.***



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8) Press Enter or click on the Connect button to log into the instance.