

Configure Accounts preferences

1. Automatic login must be *disabled* if you want to use 802.1X login authentication—deselect the [Accounts preferences](#) "Automatically log in as:" option.
2. Also in [Accounts preferences](#), make sure the "Display login window as:" choice is "Name and password".

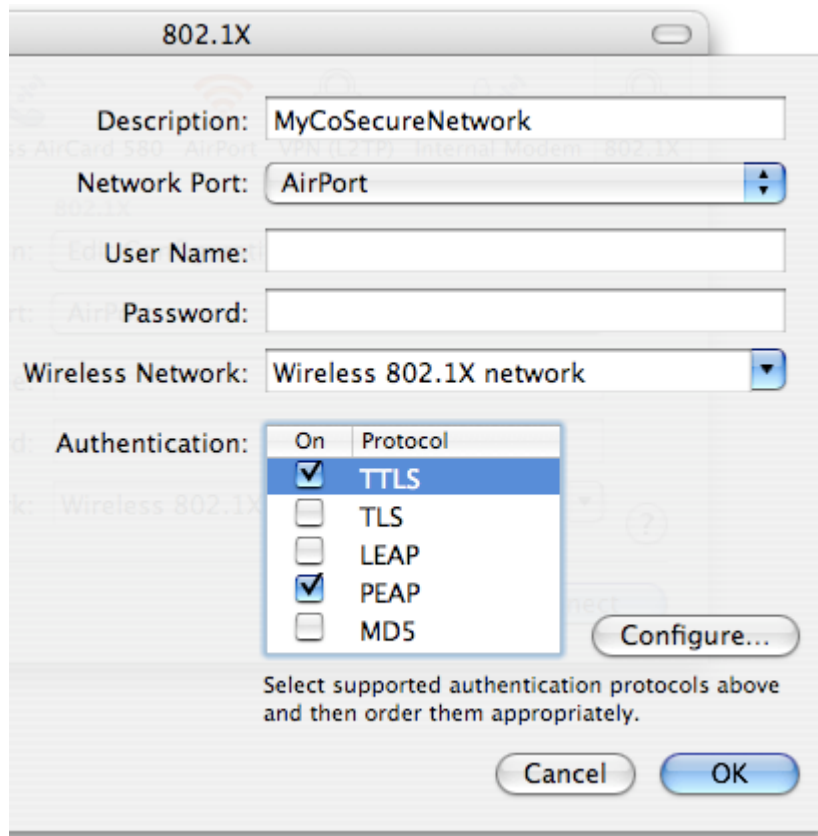
Configure Network preferences

1. [Open](#) Network preferences.
2. [Delete](#) all AirPort "Preferred networks" by selecting them and clicking the Delete (-) button.
3. Click Options...
4. From the "If no preferred networks are found:" pop-up menu, choose "Keep looking for recent networks".
5. Deselect "Automatically add new networks to the preferred networks list".
6. Click OK.

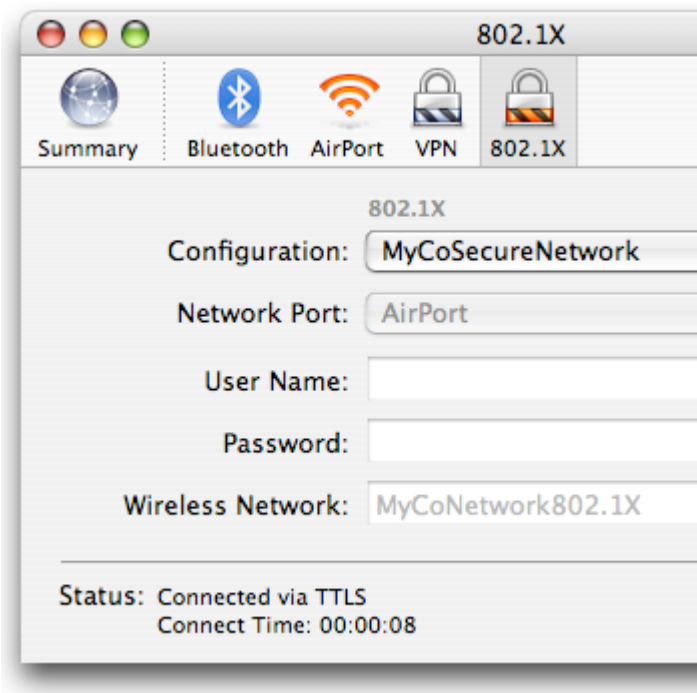
Set up login authentication configurations in Internet Connect

An administrator (any user account with administrator level privileges on the computer) uses Internet Connect to create an valid 802.1X profile.

1. Open Internet Connect (/Applications/Internet Connect).
2. From the **File** menu, choose **New 802.1X Connection....**
3. In the Configuration pop up, select Edit Configurations.
4. Type a name for the configuration, select whether you'll be connecting to an Ethernet or AirPort 802.1X network, and choose which Authentication methods you want to use. Leave the user name and password fields blank.



5. Click OK. You should now have an 802.1X configuration ready to use.
6. Click Connect to attempt to join the 802.1X network as a test. You may be presented with a dialog asking you to verify a certificate, depending on the 802.1X authentication server. If you are confident in the validity, verify the certificate information and click Continue.
7. When prompted for your 802.1X network credentials, enter a valid user name and password, then click OK.
8. If your credentials are validated you will be connected to the network. Internet Connect will show the authentication method used and connection time.



9. Now that this configuration has been verified, export the configuration so it can be used at the Mac OS X Login Window: From the **File** menu, choose **Export 802.1X Configuration to Login Window**.
10. Log out and test logging in at the login window.