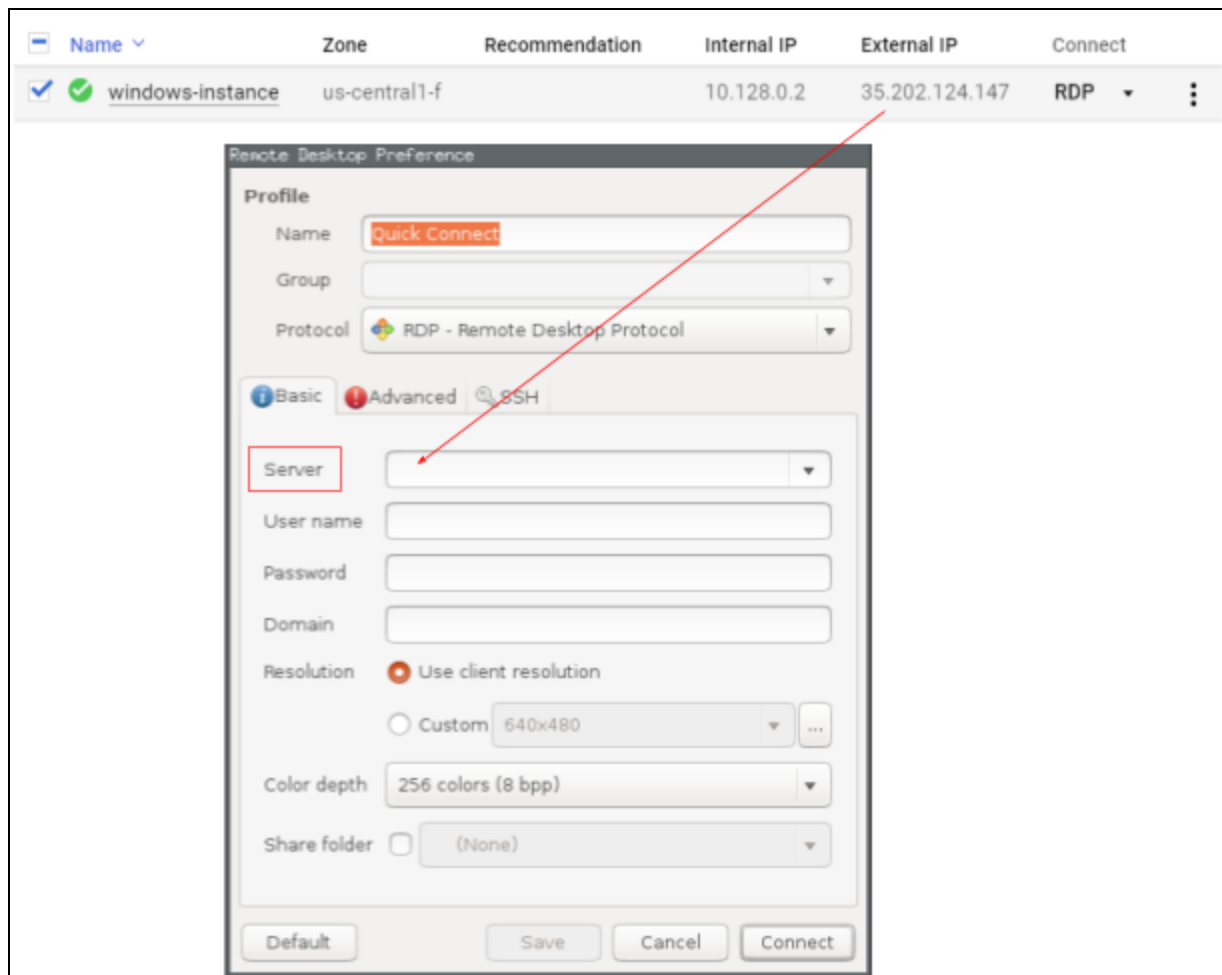# Connecting to Windows VM Using Remmina on Linux

Remmina is a free remote desktop software available for Linux systems. For full documentation, including installation instructions for specific distributions, you can check out https://github.com/FreeRDP/Remmina.

After opening Remmina, switch back the Google Cloud Console window. Type in the external IP that correlates to your Windows instance into Remmina, under the "Server" field. **Head's up**: Your IP will be different than the example shown below.

To retrieve the username and password, switch back to the Google Cloud Console, and select "Set Windows Password."

Copy the username provided to Remmina under the "Username" field, then switch back to Google Cloud Console, and click on "Set." A new popup will appear with your Windows password. You can then copy this Windows password into Remmina, in the field for "Password," then hit "Connect" to continue.

You might receive a notice that the identity of the remote computer cannot be verified. In this case, click "Yes" to continue connecting. And voila! You're good to go.