Mac OSX Connecting to a Windows computer

1. Under **Applications**, select **Remote Desktop Connection**

![Remote Desktop Connection](image)

2. Enter the computer name

3. Enter the name of the remote computer into the **Computer** field. There are 3 values that can be entered for the computer name:
   a. Computer name
   b. Computernname.win.uthscsa.edu or
   c. IP (internet protocol) address – 129.111.xxx.xxx

For various reasons, one or more of the above methods may not work. In the event that one connection method is not working, try one of the other naming conventions. **For off campus users double check that VPN is running before you attempt to connect to the remote computer.**

![Remote Desktop Connection for Mac](image)

4. Click **RDC** and then **Preferences**

![Remote Desktop Connection Preferences](image)
5. Enter your user name, password, and enter \texttt{win.uthscsa.edu} for the domain when prompted.

![Login Window]

6. Click the X to close the Preferences Click \texttt{Connect} on the Remote Desktop Connection window.

7. The same log on screens will be displayed as when logging into the computer locally.

Note: When \textbf{on campus} and connected to the network by cable or through HSCWave you may start the Remote Desktop Connection program and follow the below steps.

**If you are \textbf{off campus you will need to connect via the VPN software} before you may remote to another computer on campus. Search the instructions on setting up the VPN on the UTHSCSA website for your version of the operating system (Window7, Windows 8.1 or Mac).