How to Connect to the Mason Network Via the VPN (2FA Required)

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Step 1

Open Cisco AnyConnect VPN on your computer.

Note: If you are on a Mason-owned computer connected to the MESA or Jamf Pro (for Macs), the client should already be installed.
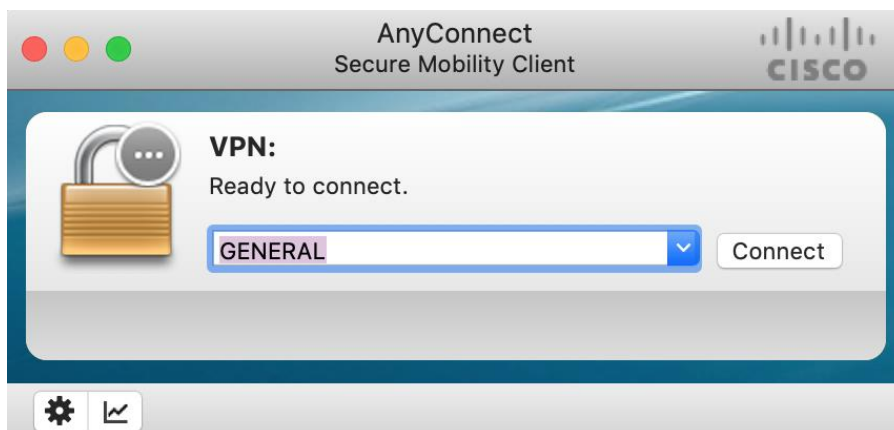
- Windows users can find it in the Start Menu under Cisco > Cisco AnyConnect Secure Mobility Client
- Mac users can find it under Go > Applications > Cisco

If you are not on MESA or Jamf Pro, follow the appropriate instructions to the install VPN:

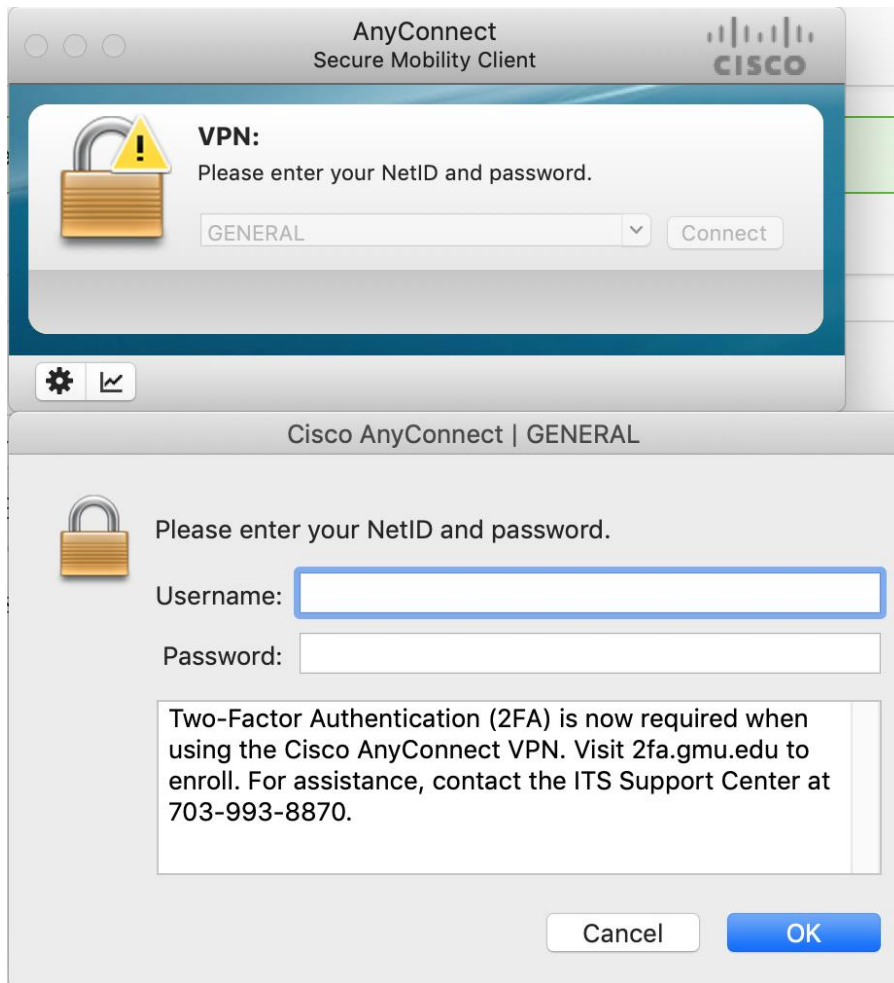- Windows
- Mac
- Linux

Step 2

Type your VPN Group URL and click **connect**. *** NOTE: The VPN Group for the School of Business is **vpn.gmu.edu/bus** ***

Step 3

Enter your Mason NetID and Patriot Pass Password and click **OK**.

Step 4

The device that you have enrolled will require you to approve the request.

Note: Duo will attempt to contact you six times if you do not respond

Step 5

Smartphone/Tablet

- Your device will notify you of a Duo Mobile App request or you'll need to open the App. (Note: Verify on your phone that notifications are turned on for the Duo Mobile App)
- You will be asked to approve or deny the authentication request.

- Tap approve on your device to complete the authentication request.

Passcode (Duo Mobile App, Yubikey, or Bypass Code)

- Duo Mobile App
- Yubikey
- Bypass Code

Step 6

You will then be logged into Cisco AnyConnect VPN.