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Installing and Running Cisco AnyConnect VPN on a Mac

Introduction

This page provides instructions for how to install and connect to the **Cisco AnyConnect VPN Client** for Macs.

The Cisco AnyConnect VPN client is a web-based VPN client that does not require user configuration. VPN, also called IP tunneling or Virtual Private Network, is a secure method of accessing Pace University computer resources.

Note: You will need to install the Java Runtime Environment before you will be able to successfully install the AnyConnect program. You can download this Java program at http://www.java.com.

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- open a browser and navigate to https://vpn.pace.edu
- type your MyPace Username and Password

PACE UNIVERSITY Virtual Private Network (VPN)



• click Login

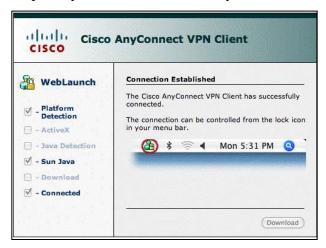
The Cisco AnyConnect Secure Mobility Client will attempt to automatically install the VPN software. If the automated install does not succeed, you can download the AnyConnect VPN software and manually install (see manually installing VPN).



• type your MyPace Username and Password and click **OK** (if prompted)



Once the installation is complete, you will be automatically connected to Pace's VPN.



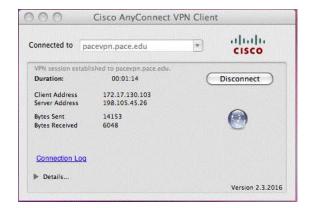
You should now see the icon, located in the **Dock**, which indicates connection. The icon is represented by two green dots and a gold lock.



Note: The connection can now be controlled and accessed from the Dock.

Disconnecting from the Cisco AnyConnect VPN client

- double-click Cisco AnyConnect VPN Client icon in the Dock
- click Disconnect



Getting Help

If you require any help with installing and connecting to the **Cisco AnyConnect VPN Client**, contact the ITS Helpdesk at (914) 773-3333 or send an e-mail to pacehelpdesk@pace.edu.