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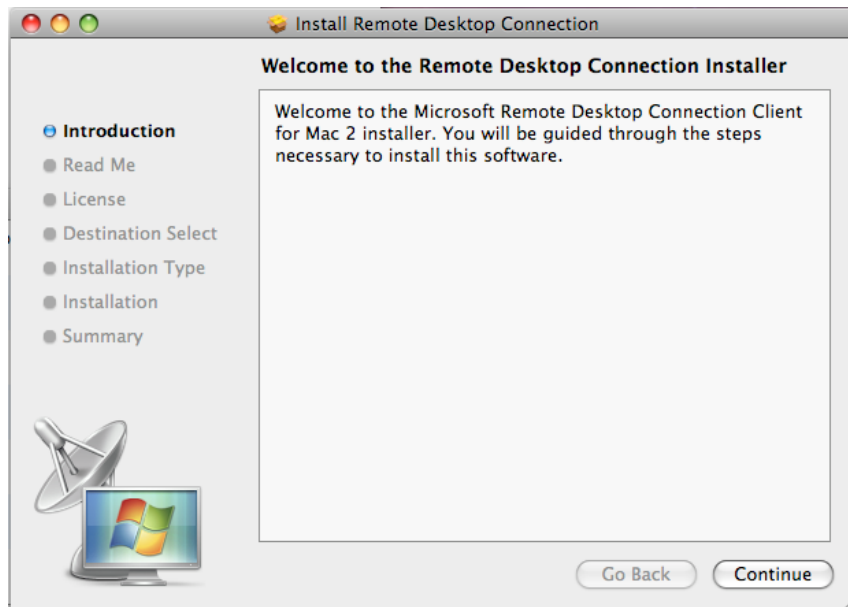
Remote Desktop Connections Connecting to a PC on a Mac Updated July '09

1. Your Windows machine must be set up to allow remote desktop connections. Follow these instructions to ensure that is:
 - o Click **START**, and then **Control Panel**.
 - o Click **System** (if you don't see it then first click "Switch to Classic View").
 - o Select the **Remote** tab. Make sure that "Allow users to connect remotely to this computer" is checked.

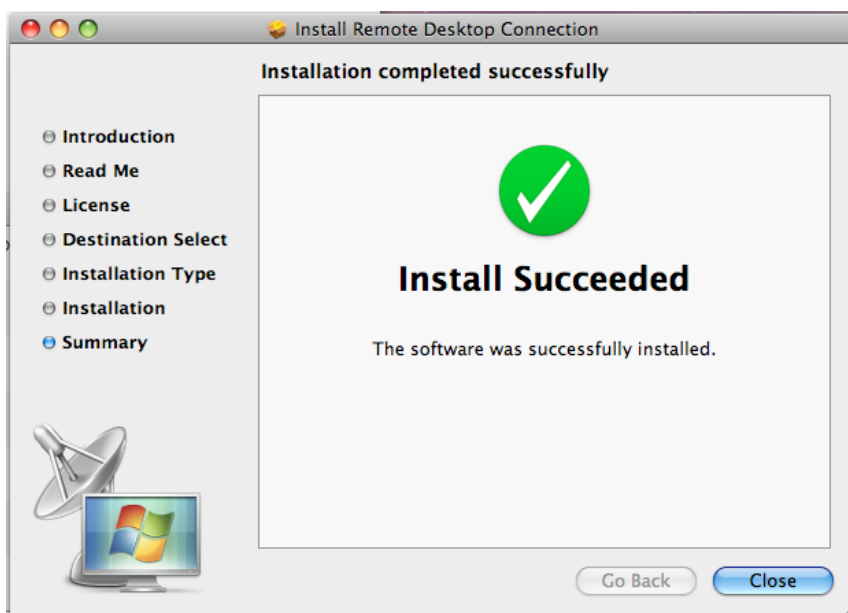
2. On your Macintosh you must download the Remote Desktop Client. To do so, follow these instructions.
 - o Open a web browser and go to the following site:
<http://www.microsoft.com/mac>
 - o Click on the **Remote Desktop** link at the top of the page.
 - o At the bottom of the main page click **Download Remote Desktop Client**. You will be directed to the downloads page. Scroll down in the "Details" section and click on the "English (.dmg)" link
 - o Click the following:



e) The download manager may appear as the file is being downloaded. Once it is complete the following will appear. Click on the “Continue” button to be taken through the Read Me file and the License Agreement.



f) Select the directory you wish to install the Remote Desktop Connection software in, then click “Install” to install the software. Once the installation is complete, you will see an “Install Succeeded” screen.

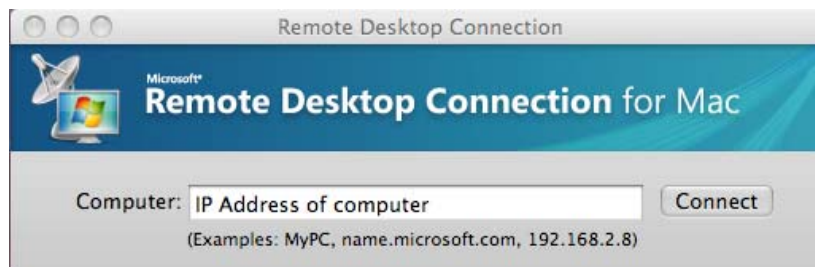


g) The Remote Desktop Connection application will now be located in your Applications folder. Double click on the Remote Desktop Connection Icon to start the application.



h) The Remote Desktop Connection Client will start. At this point you will need to be connected to the UNCW network (if you're on campus then you're fine). **If you are off campus, then you will need to connect through VPN before you can go any farther.**

i) Once you are connected, you must enter your Windows based computer's IP address in the following dialog box:



Once you click **Connect** you will be prompted to logon to your Windows based computer as if you were sitting in front of it.

If you have any problems or questions about these instructions, please feel free to contact the Technology Assistance Center (TAC) at (910) 962-4357 or at tac@uncw.edu