VPN User Guide for MAC Users

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Step: 1

Start by clicking the Apple icon in the top left corner of the screen (top panel). Go to "System Preferences..." as marked with red box.
Step: 2

Click on “Network” icon as marked with red box.
Step: 3
Click on “+” icon which is marked with red box.

Step: 4
For the “interface”, select “VPN” For “VPN type” select “PPTP”
For “Service name” enter any name as you like. Examples HEC digital library CIIT VPN
Now click on “create” button which is marked with red box.
Step: 5

Click on “Advanced…” button which is marked with red box.

Step: 6

1- Click to mark check box as indicated with red box against text “send all traffic over VPN connection”

2- Now click on “ok” button
Step: 7

1- Enter CIIT IP address “210.56.13.7” against “server address
2- Enter provided “user name” against “account name”
3- Click to mark check box against text “Show VPN status in menu bar”
4- Now click on “Authentication settings…” as marked with red box

Step: 8

1- Enter provided password in “Password” field
2- Click on “Ok” button
3- Now click “Apply” button as marked with red box
4- Finally your VPN account has been configured on MAC
5- Now click on “connect” button to connect VPN

Now enjoy VPN service of CUI. If you face any problem, please contact us at tmahmood@comsats.edu.pk