Accessing TH411 Linux Lab Remotely

1. Connect to the GWU VPN. You can access the VPN software here: https://it.gwu.edu/virtual-private-network-vpn
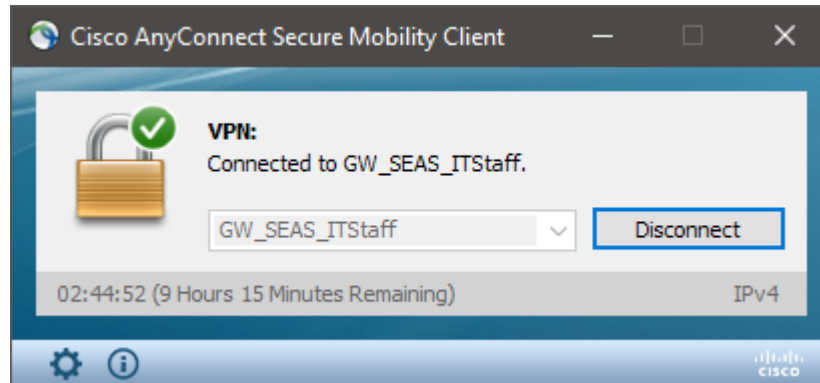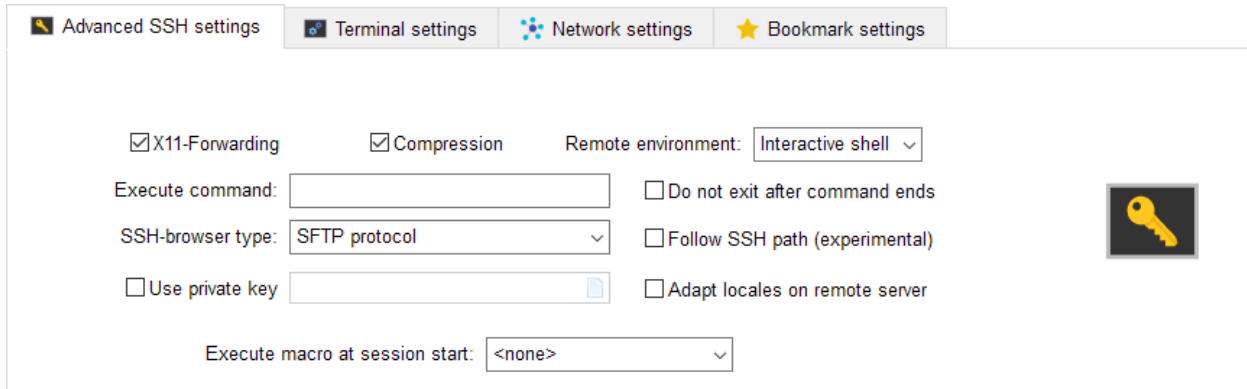

2. Download Mobaxterm from here: https://mobaxterm.mobatek.net/
3. Install and launch MobaXterm. Click on the Session button in the upper left hand corner:

4. Choose a linux lab machine from 02-33. For "Remote Host" enter the full machine name of the workstation you want to connect to. The name format is: linux[02-33].cflab.seas.gwu.edu. Enter your NetID in the Username field.
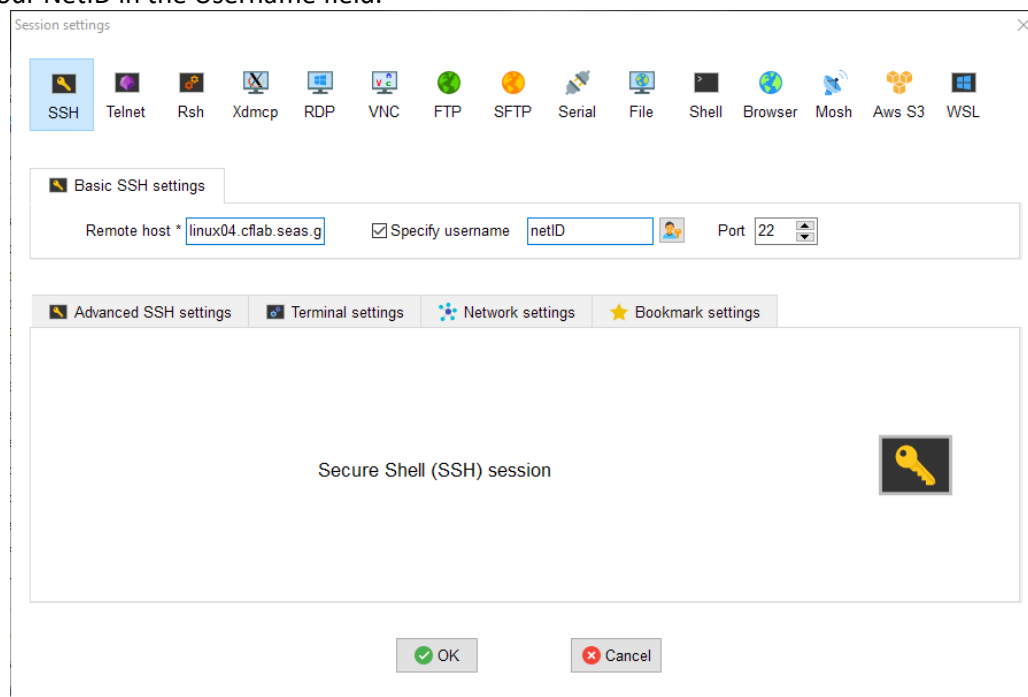
5. Under the "Advanced SSH Settings" tab, check the "X11-Forwarding" box. Then hit OK to connect.
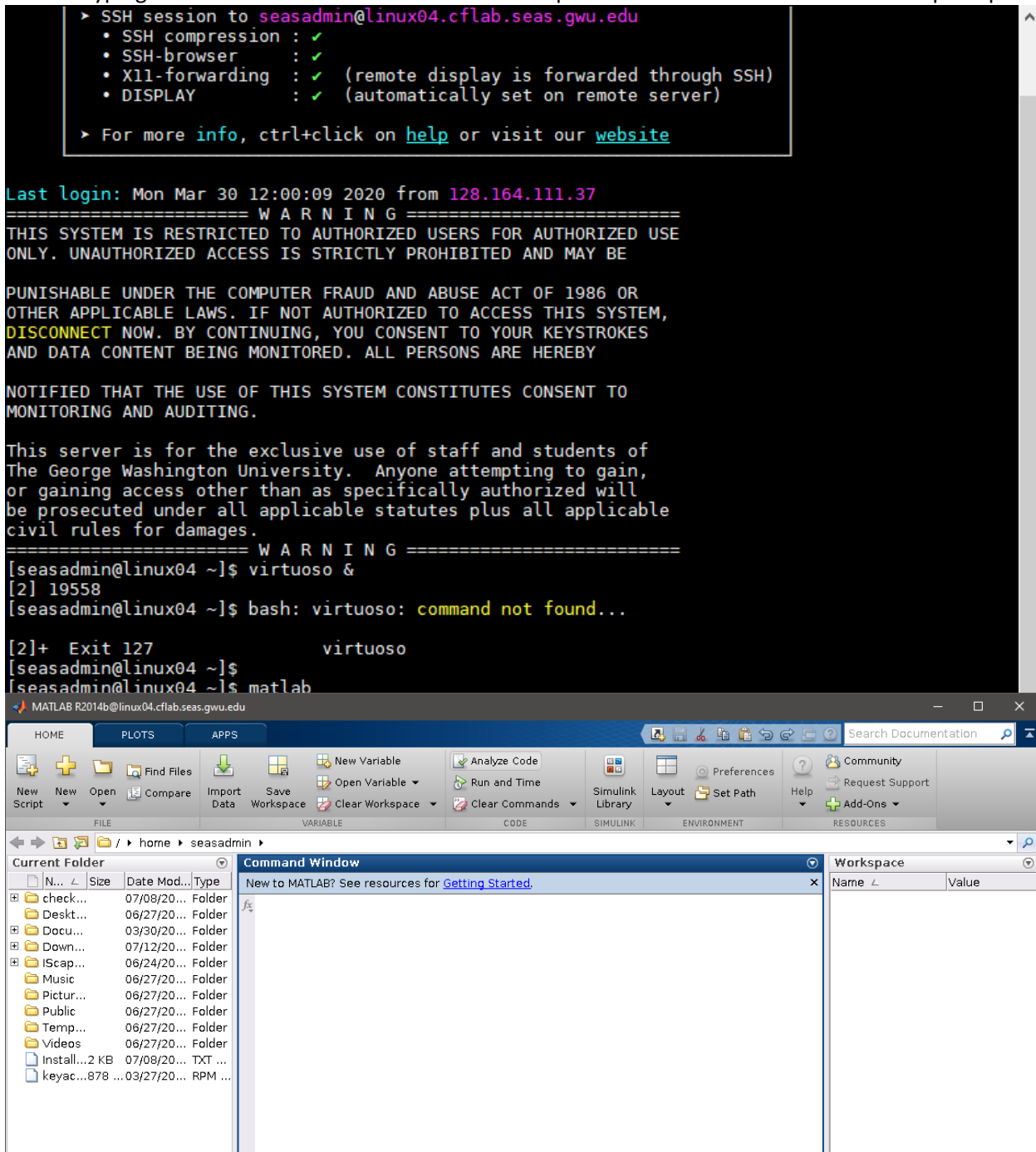
6. Once logged in, run commands to launch your programs as you normally would. For example, typing "matlab" will launch Matlab in a GUI. Be patient! It will take a few seconds to open up.

7. After you are finished, **please type "exit" at the command prompt to disconnect.**