Windows VPN Client

Overview
The purpose of this document is to assist you with the installation and use of the windows VPN client. To begin, download the client from the NLU OIT site http://oit.nl.edu/vpn. Once you have downloaded the client, please follow the steps below to install it:

- **Important:** Before beginning the client installation, please close all open application(s) because your computer will need to reboot to complete the installation process.

Windows Client Installation:
1. Double click on the “XP-Vista.msi” to launch the installation.
2. Click on “Next” when the installation wizard appears.
3. Click on “I accept the terms of the license agreement” and click “Next” to continue.
4. **For UPDATES:** Click on “Overwrite Previous Version” and click “Next” to continue.
5. Click on “Install” to begin installation.
6. Wait for the client installation to complete (it may take several minutes).
7. Click “Finish” to reboot your computer.

Using the Windows Client:
1. To connect to the windows client, double click on the key icon located on your system tray which is on the right side of your screen.
2. Enter your NLU username and password.
3. Click on connect.
4. Once connected via VPN, please enter your NLU username and password once again.
5. Click on “Submit” in order to map your H:, I: and other network drives.
6. After you drives are mapped, you have successfully connected to the NLU network.

Please contact our helpdesk at helpdesk@nl.edu or (847) 465-0575 ext. 4357 if you need any assistance.