UDS Guideline for Students

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1. Introduction

▶ UDS is the software platform which allows students to remote access the computers of Industrial Centre.

▶ Therefore students can use various software like Powerlogic, Solidworks, regardless of the student's own PC capability. All you need is a stable internet connection.

[Remote screen in Browser]

[Computer room in IC]
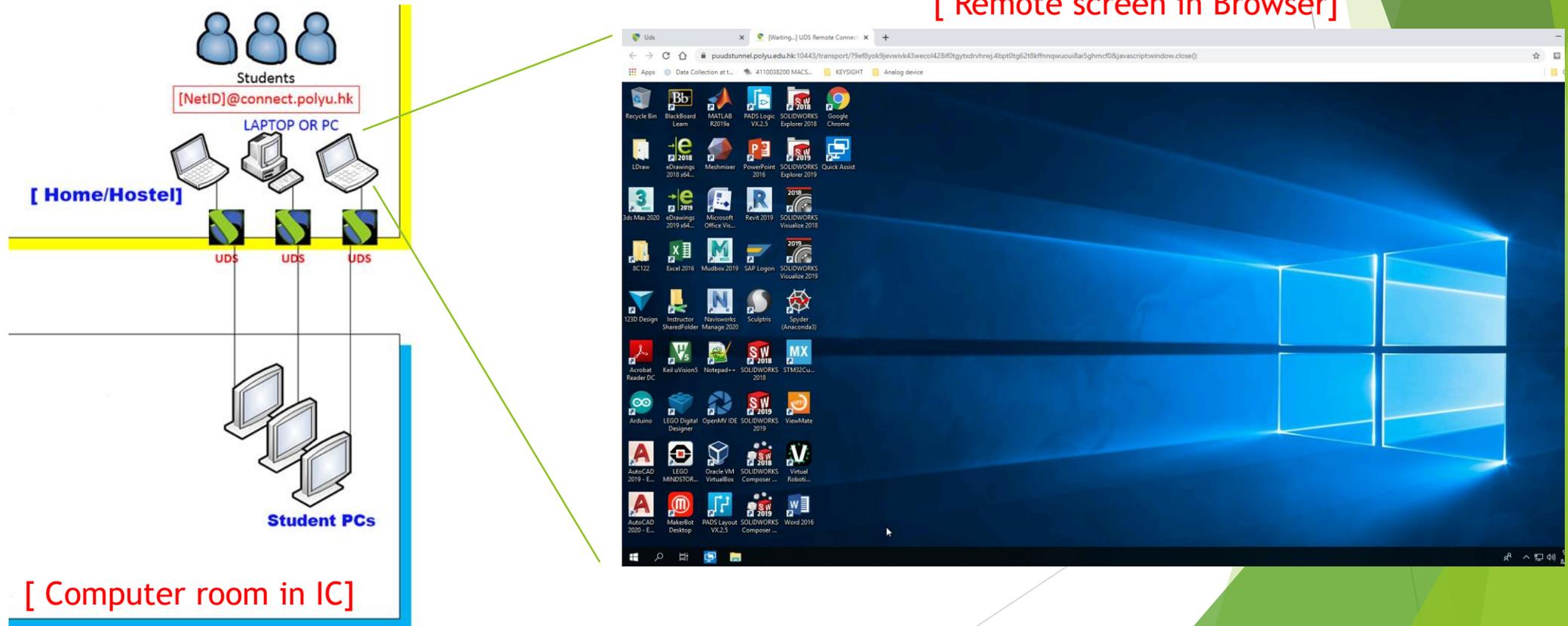
2. Things to prepare

▶ **Computer with a Mouse:**

Get a computer with a traditional mouse (Left, right buttons and scrolling knob). This kind of mouse is necessary for many software like Solidworks, Powerlogic, etc. Special mouses like gaming mouse are not recommended.

▶ **A Good & Stable Network**

Please make sure your computer is connected to a good and stable network. If possible, use LAN connection.
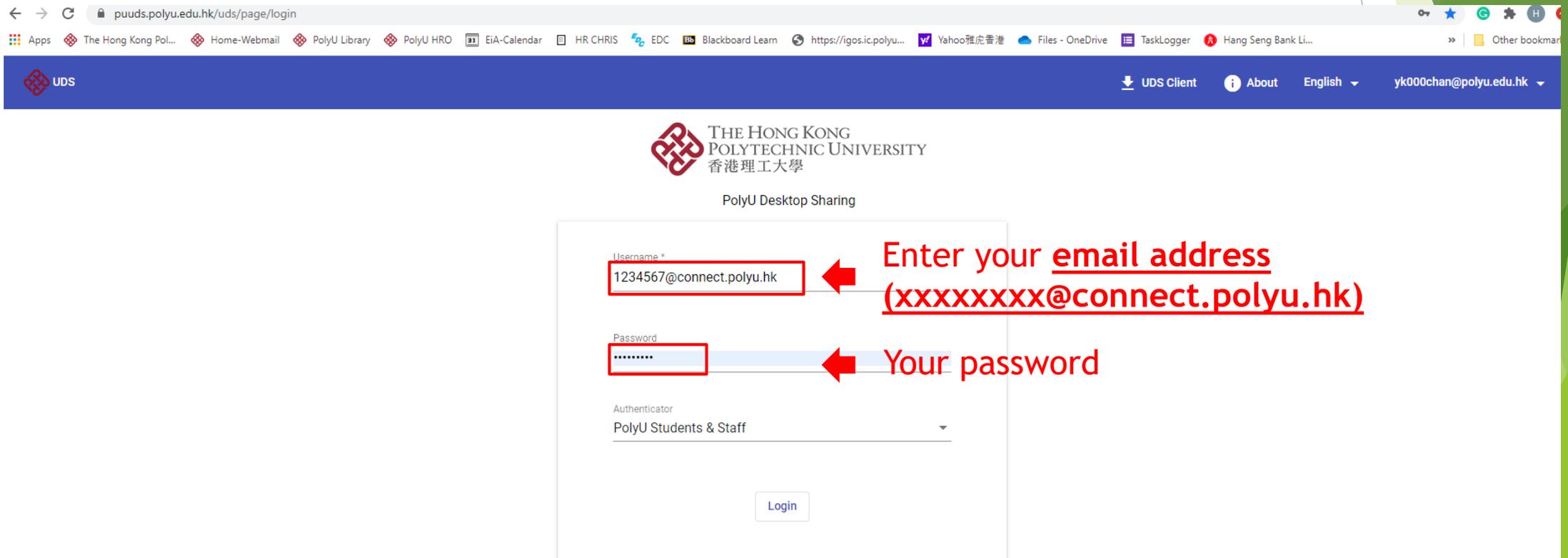
▶ **Close all unused software**

3. Getting Started

Step1- Enter the link in **CHROME** browser : https://puuds.polyu.edu.hk/uds/page/login

➡️ Note: if you connect overseas, please install **VPN** and setup VPN connection before access to UDS.

https://www.polyu.edu.hk/its/faq/index_detail.php?id=62

Step2- The following login page will be shown. Please enter your mail account <NetID>@connect.polyu.hk **(must be in lower case)** and then your password.
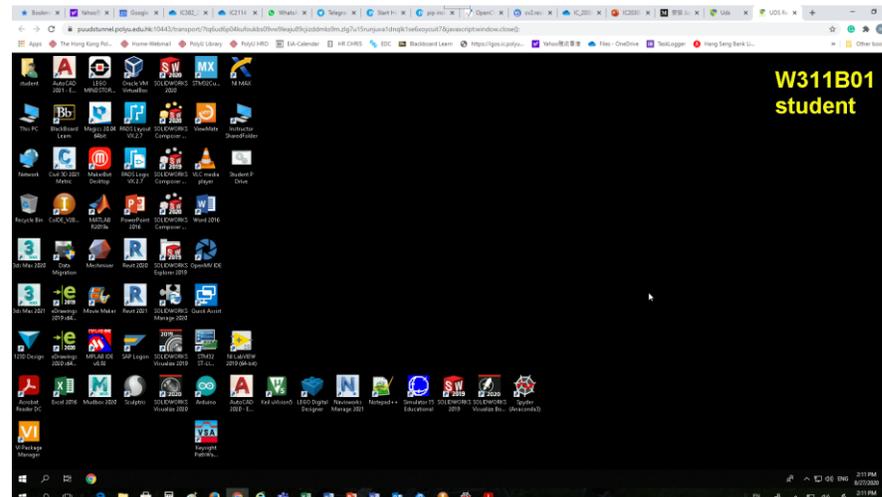
3. Getting Started (cont'd)

Step3- After successful login, please select the right room for the IC computer access.
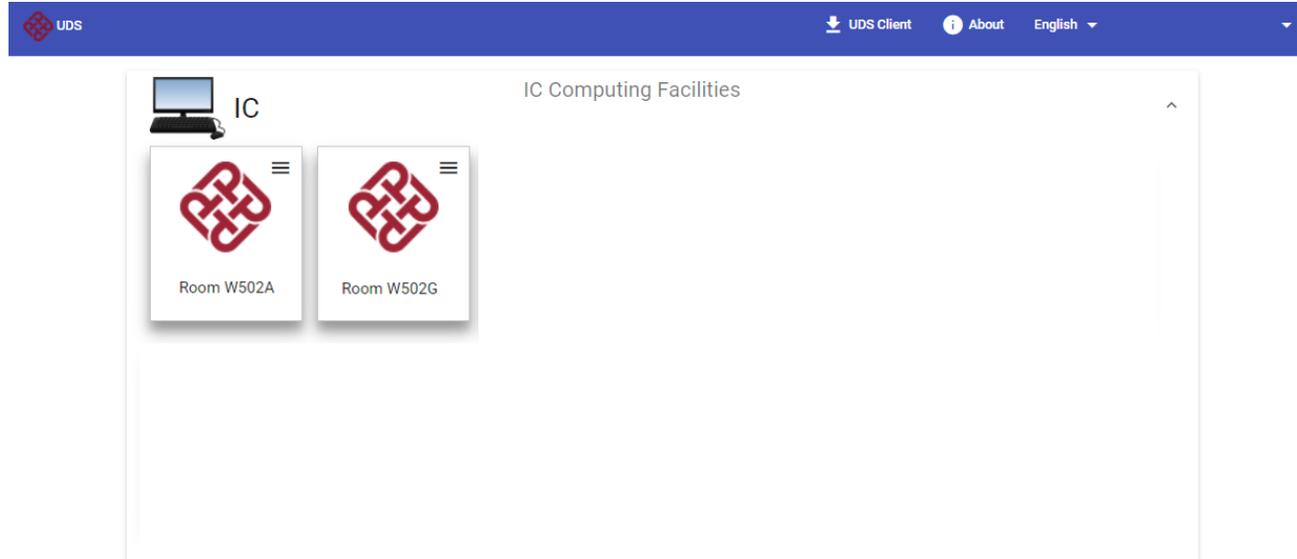
Step4- After selecting the room, your browser will show the desktop of the remote PC.
Now you can use the PC remotely!
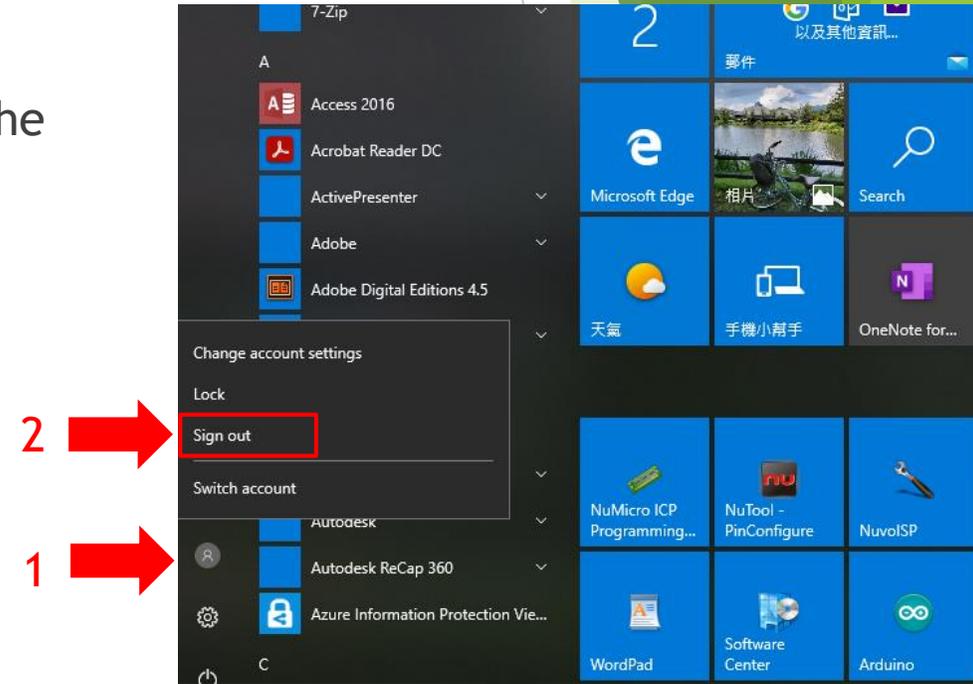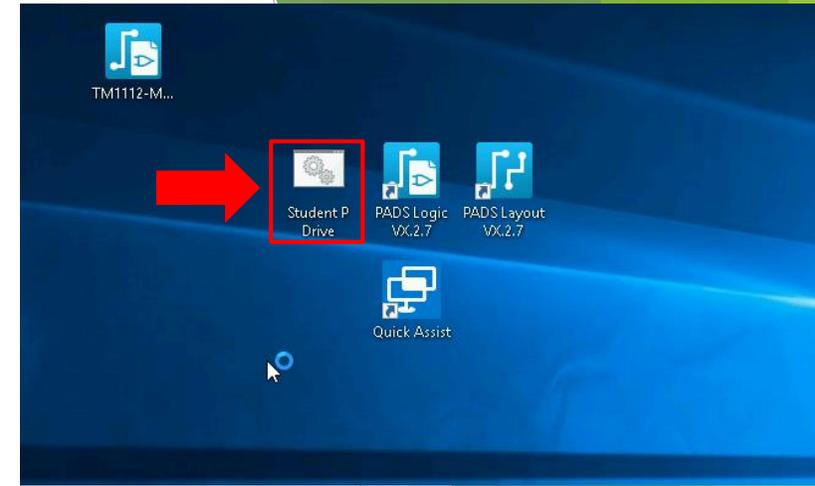
4. Things to Remember

▶ **Save your work regularly in P drive.**

Please use your own network drive P: to save your work by clicking this shortcut. Then enter your ID number and net-password.

Do NOT use local drive. Otherwise, you may loses your work!

▶ **Always Sign Out after use**

Always "Sign out" in Windows toolbar before you leave by clicking the account icon. **DO NOT SHUT DOWN!**
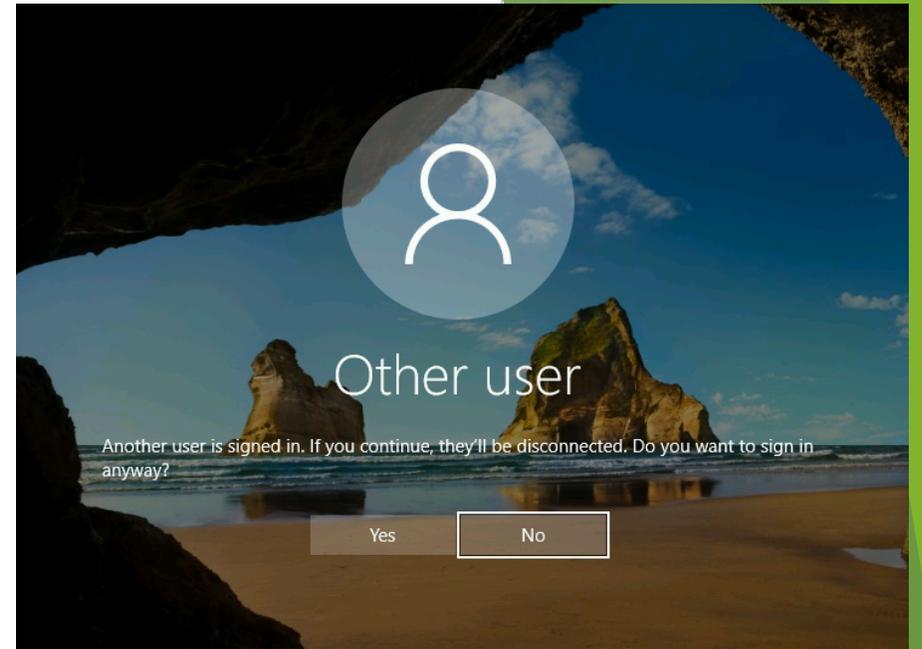
FAQ

▶ **If the assigned computer is occupied by others..**

Please try to connect other computer rooms or access to the same computer room in other time slots within the booking session

▶ **If you cannot connect to UDS network..**

Please contact ITS office for IT support at https://www.polyu.edu.hk/its/about-its/contact-us/

Quick Checklist

▶ Open the login page at https://puuds.polyu.edu.hk/uds/page/login by Chrome browser.

▶ If you are connected overseas, please enable **VPN first**.

▶ Login by using your PolyU email address in form of <NetID>@connect.polyu.hk.

▶ Ensure a **good and stable internet connection**.

▶ Run at **MS-Windows 10 or MacOS computer with a traditional mouse**.

▶ **Close all unused software** in your PC.

▶ **Save your work regularly in P drive.**

▶ **Sign out** after use.