

# Two Factor Authentication (2FA) and network security zones at the University of Manchester

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# **Cyber Security Programme Background**





101K customers lost £60M costs

Birmingham student jailed for changing grades using stolen staff credentials

The FBI estimate ransomware will be a \$1 billion market this year



# **Cyber Security projects**



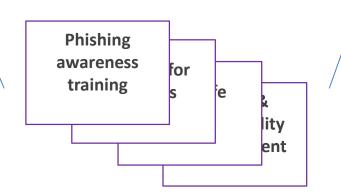
# Two Factor Authentication (2FA)

Strong(er) authentication to protect against credential theft



# Network Access Control (NAC)

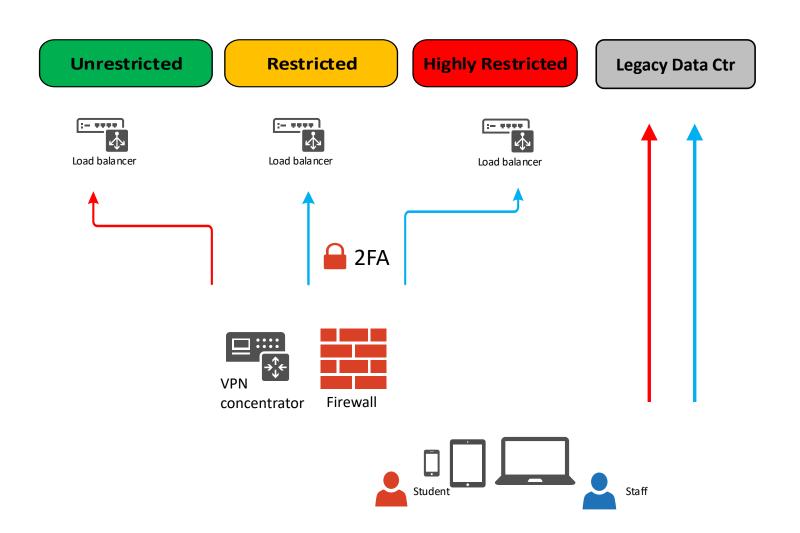
Network zoning to segment systems based on information security classification

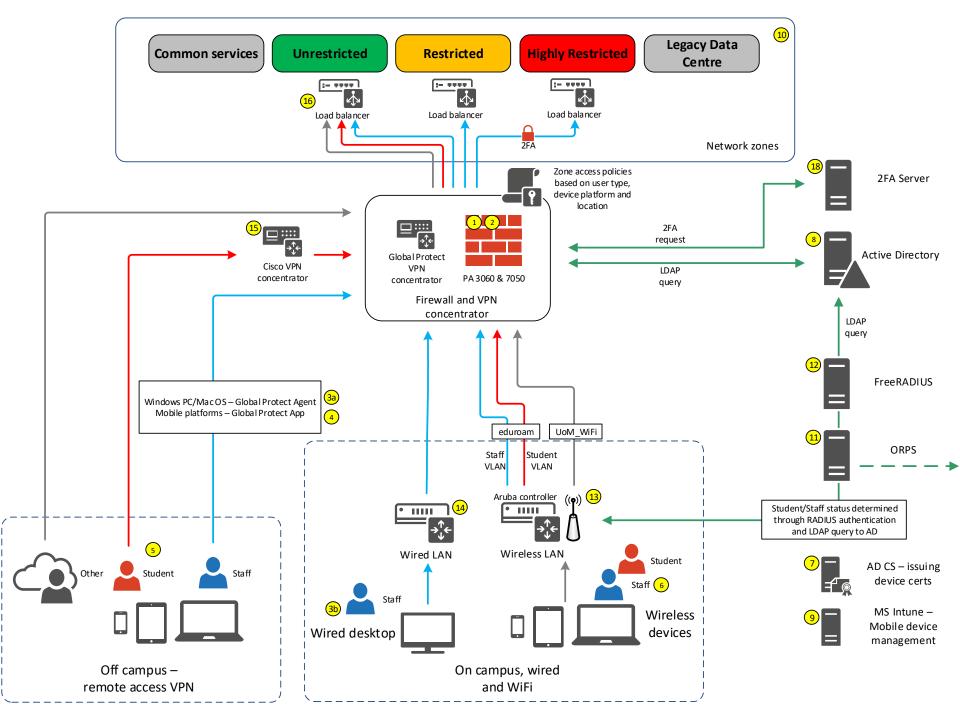




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# Two factor authentication (2FA)

#### What is it?

# Something you know

**Password** 

#### Something you have

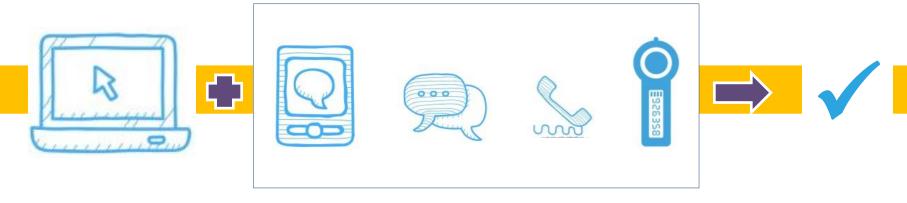
Soft token (smartphone), hard token (fob), mobile phone etc.



#### Something you are

Biometric or behavioural characteristic
e.g. fingerprint, iris scan, facial recognition

#### **How it works**



# Something you know

Enter password

#### Something you have

Respond to challenge prompt, provide code from Soft token (smartphone), hard token (fob), mobile phone etc.

#### Done!

# 2FA - Choosing what's right for you



Smart phone on Android, iOS, Windows Phone

Tap 'Accept' on your smartphone

OTP code option can be used with no connectivity



A traditional mobile phone

Use a text message or phone call to generate your passcode



Hardware token / keyfob

No connectivity required

## What will you see: Desktop



Login with username and password as usual

Log in to Global Protect (the virtual private network) when prompted using username and password

Authenticate with 2FA

Access granted

# What you will see: Outlook Web App



Login with your username and password as usual

Choose authentication method

Authenticate using 2FA

#### Timeline...

Access to Data
Safe Haven (NHS
patient data)

March

Early adopter enrolment (IT Services)

May

University-wide email client (staff/PGR)

June

University-wide for Outlook web (staff/PGR)

July





#### **Further information**

Cyber security website

http://www.itservices.manchester.ac.uk/cybersecurity/

Mailing List

csp@manchester.ac.uk

#### **Email and 2FA FAQs**

#### How many times will I need to use 2FA?

- ➤ At least once a day to access email stay on for 12 hour period (TBC)
- ➤ No need to repeat if you use the same device and stay on campus (even if you move between buildings)
- > Do need to 2FA again if you go home or leave campus
- Always need to use 2FA when using Outlook web application (OWA)

#### What if I'm abroad with no network signal?

> Can use Duo mobile application 'OTP' codes, pre-generated SMS codes or key fob tokens

#### Do I have to use 2FA on my ipad or mobile device?

- ➤ No if you're using the built-in mail application
- > Yes if you're using OWA
- ➤ If you want to enrol a new device for ActiveSync email access you will need to use 2FA when you first set it up

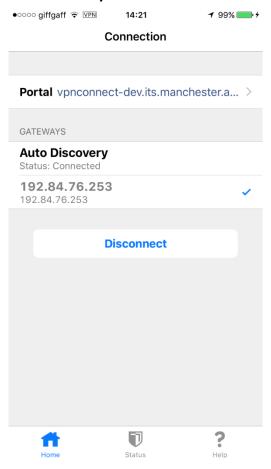
#### What if I can't or don't want to use a mobile for 2FA or I don't want to incur costs (especially abroad)

- Use the key fob type device
- Smartphone users can use OTP for no cost
- For SMS delivery users are not typically charged for receiving SMS messages abroad
- Receiving Duo phone calls will depend on your contract
- Push notifications consume minimal data

### Global Protect Mobile



#### 1 – 'Always on' VPN connection



#### 2 – 2FA prompt on initial connection



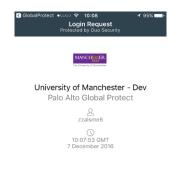
#### **Outlook Web Access**



#### 1 – Navigate to OWA web page

#### Outlook Web App

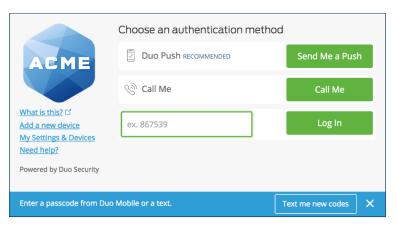


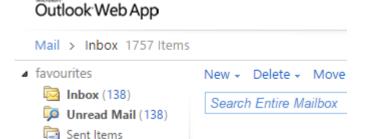




#### 3 – 2FA push prompt

#### 2 - Choose 2FA auth method





#### 4 – Access OWA email

# Duo hard token

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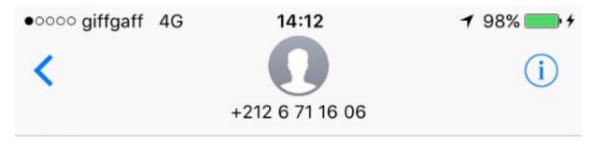
# Duo soft token app







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Text Message Today 14:12

Duo login code: 269114

# Duo password substitution

214569



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