SETUP INSTRUCTIONS FOR CS344-01-24F

This course is taught on the Mac. If you have a Mac, GREAT! If you don't, there are Macs in the lab that you may use. All projects will be compiled, run, and graded on either MAKROTHYMIA or INVISIBLEGIRL.

There are two setup phases: software installation and mapping submission folders.

SOFTWARE INSTALLATION.

MAC: Download and install XCode from the app store. The Macs in the lab already have it installed.

MAPPING SUBMISSION FOLDERS.

USERNAMES AND PASSWORDS.

Your NMU username and password are the ones that NMU assigns you. These are the names you use to check your e-mail, register for classes, etc.

Your PHILOS username is the SAME as your NMU username. Your PHILOS password is one that I assign you. You can find it in the "Grades" e-mail I send out. To access the submission folder, you will need your PHILOS username and password. If you already had a PHILOS account, then ignore the password in your Grades e-mail. Your password is the same as it always was, whatever that is.

SUBMISSION SCRIPTS.

From the course website, you will find two submission scripts, one for Windows and one for Mac. Right click the one that is correct and download it to your Desktop.

You will need to edit the submission script to make it work for you: open the file in a text editor. NotePad on Windows would work; TextEdit on the Mac, for example, but it doesn't matter which one.

In the script, change EVERY instance of "jsmith" to your PHILOS username. Change EVERY instance of "12345678" to your PHILOS password.

If you are running "true Linux" on your system, you'll need to talk to me. I can help you set it up, but it varies from machine to machine.

ACCESSING THE SUBMISSION FOLDER.

To access your submission folder, just double click on the script (the .bat file) that you have on your Desktop. A window should open containing a folder with the course ID of this class. You

shouldn't have to make this folder; it should already be there. This folder, with the course ID, is your submission folder. Your submissions should be placed in this folder.

CISCO VPN.

You CANNOT access the submission folder when you are off-campus, and SOMETIMES you can't access it from on campus. In either case, Cisco VPN will fix you up. If you have an NMU laptop, you should already have a program on there called "Cisco AnyConnect Secure Mobility Client".

If you have a Windows or a Mac machine, but you don't have the Cisco software, you can download it from https://nmuvpn5520.nmu.edu . If you have Linux, you will not be able to connect directly to the submission folder, you will have to use https://nmuvpn5520.nmu.edu to access your submission folder.