VPN for Android (Students)

A virtual private network (VPN) allows you to access the local network of the University of Stuttgart. Services offered by the University of Stuttgart (for example access to your home directory) and external services (for example SpringerLink) can be used by students without being physically on campus. You can establish a connection using the application AnyConnect, which can be downloaded from the Google Play Store. The installation and configuration of the application is described in this guide.

1. Downloading and Installing the App

Search for AnyConnect in the Google Play Store (Developer: Cisco Systems, Inc.) and install it.

2. Add a Connection

2.1 Start the app and select „Connection“.
Press „Add New VPN Connection...“.

2.2 Enter a name as description.

2.3 The server address is “vpn.tik.uni-stuttgart.de”.

2.4 Leave the advanced preferences unchanged and confirm by pressing „Done“.

3. Establishing a Connection

3.1 Flip the switch in the main menu.

3.2 Enter your personal student e-mail address (st123456@stud.uni-stuttgart.de) and your password then confirm with „Connect“.

3.3 The key symbol in the status bar indicates the successful connection.

3.4 You can disconnect by flipping the switch again. Before you reconnect, select „Connection“.

3.5 Activate „vpn.tik.uni-stuttgart.de“ (Blue check mark)