**Objectives:**

- Create a simple virtual machine on AWS

**Description:**

In this assignment, you will create a VM that you can use to do some of the remaining assignments.

**Requirements:**

Create a simple EC2 instance using the Amazon Linux AMI.

Login to the machine using ssh.

If you are doing this from a windows machine, you may need to secure your key by doing something like this:

```
icacls.exe <nameOfKey>.pem /reset
icacls.exe <nameOfKey>.pem /GRANT:R "$(env:USERNAME):(R)"
icacls.exe <nameOfKey>.pem /inheritance:r
```

**Check off procedure:**

- Take a screenshot of your login to the remote machine
- Take a screenshot of your stopped vm from the AWS console