

How Do I Publish My PGP Key in Keybase (For Mac)?

PREREQUISITE:

- The guide shown here is meant for a Mac computer
- Make sure the computer (or session) you are using is not shared with others

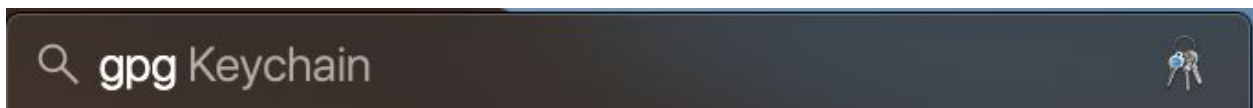
STEPS

Step 1:

1. Start by grabbing your PGP **Private** key

Step 2:

1. Go to <https://gpgtools.org/> > Download > Follow the instructions (you need admin privileges to complete this step).
3. When the download is finished, look in your computer for “GPG Keychain”

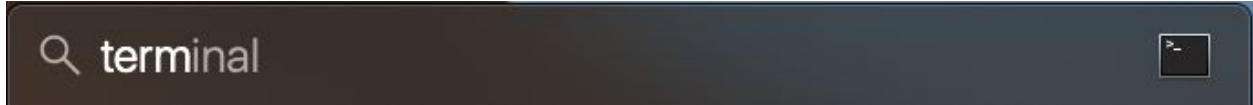


> open it > Import your private key file > enter your email password when prompted.

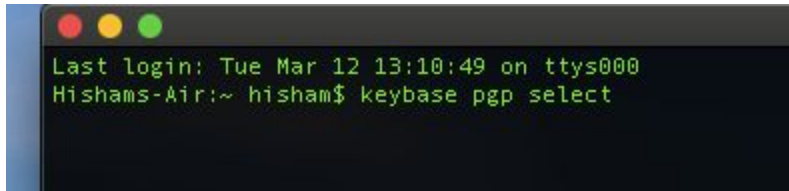
Step 3:

1. Go to <https://keybase.io/> > Install > Download the version compatible with MacOS
2. When the download is complete, open Keybase and log in (create an account if you don't have one yet)

3. While Keybase is open, go to Terminal (search for “Terminal” in your computer)



4. In terminal, type the following text: keybase pgp select



... and press Enter

5. A list of keys available in your computer (or only one if you have only one key) will be displayed in Terminal. Type in the number next to your key and hit Enter

6. Your key is registered and published in Keybase

Step 4

1. Now go back to Keybase in your computer

2. Login > and click on your PGP key

3. this will take you to your Keybase personal webpage.

5. Share this webpage with the public or add it to your email signature or business card. This page is specific to you. It's like an electronic business card that allows the public to verify it's really you they are writing to.