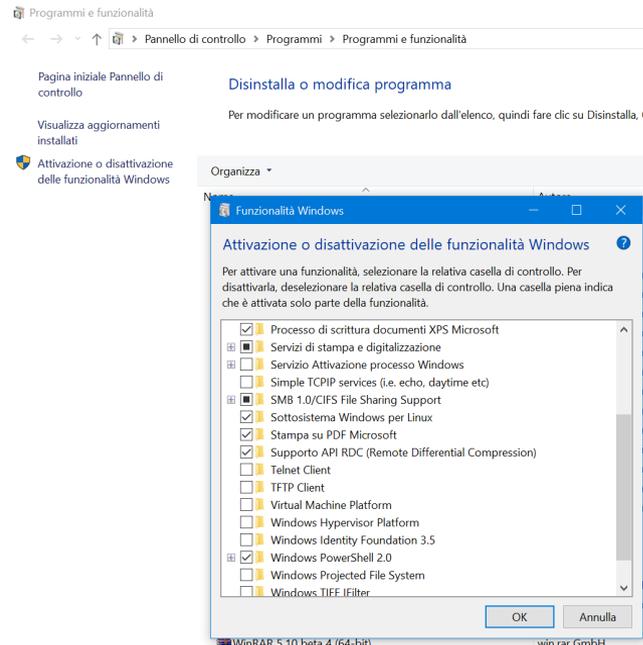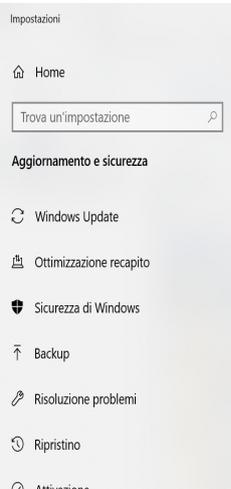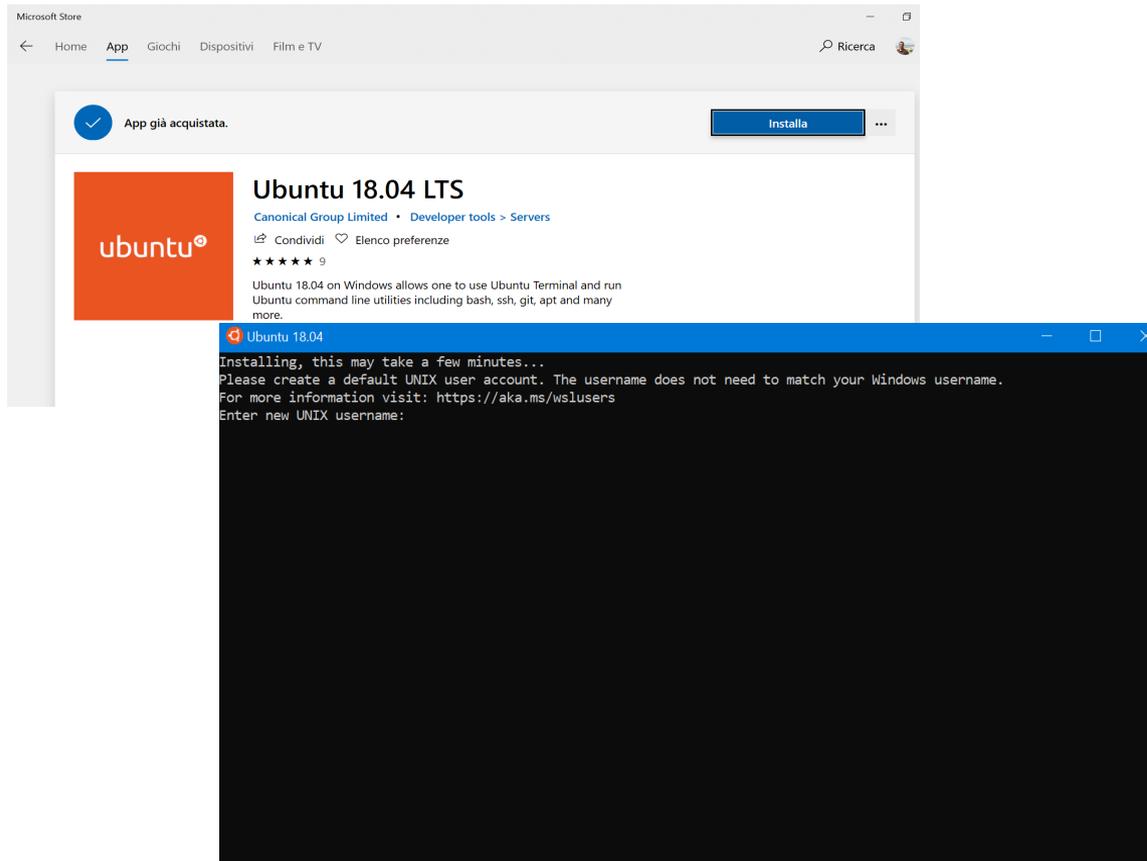# Bash on Windows 10

First of all you have to enable **Developer Mode** on your PC.

Then install **Windows Subsystem for Linux**. You can do it in two ways:

- Through Administrative Powershell in Windows and you have to use the command: *Enable-WindowsOptionalFeature -Online -FeatureName Microsoft-Windows-Subsystem-Linux*. You have to reboot now.
- Through **Windows Settings**: turn **Windows Features On**. Enable the *Windows Subsystem for Linux* option in the list, and then click the *OK* button. You have to reboot now
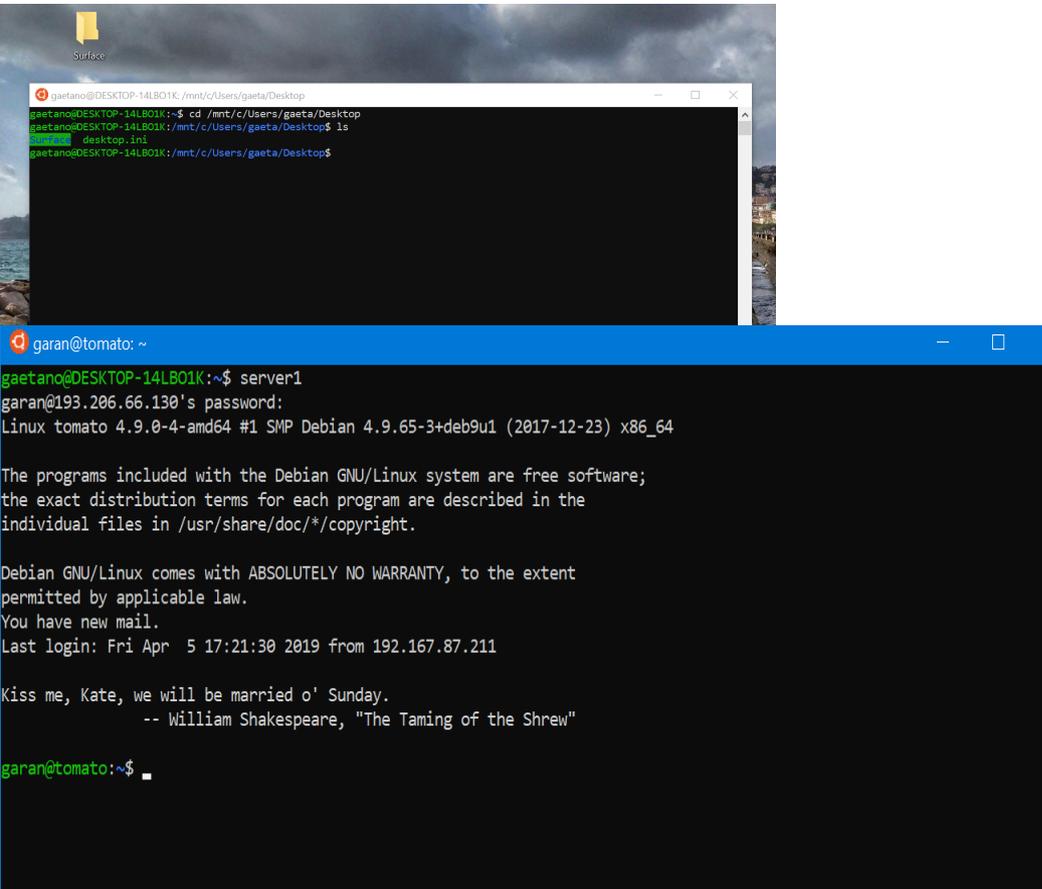
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Now you can install **Ubuntu** on Microsoft Store: you can choose *Ubuntu* or *Ubuntu 18.04 LTS*. Install it.

After installed, you have to open it(maybe will take some minutes, wait and don't worry, it's just for the first running) and choose a **UNIX Username** and a **Password**.
These don't have to match your Windows username and password

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Now you can use all the Linux commands that you know, including permissions as an administrator.

If you want to go in your Desktop Directory, for example, give command: cd mnt/c/Users/Your_Windows_Username/Desktop

You can also go into your home of CompMech server and browse through nodes