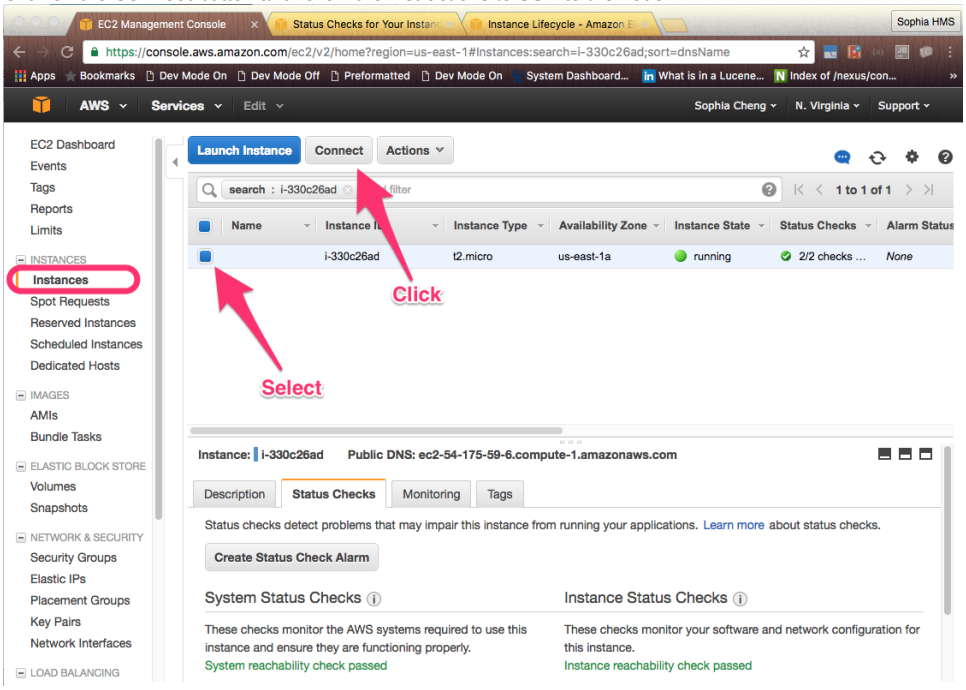
Prepare to Customize eagle-i Node

1. Connect to the eagle-i node

1. Go to your EC2 Dashboard.
2. Click on **Running Instances**
3. Select the newly created EC2 Instance
4. Click on the **Connect** button and follow the instructions to **SSH** to the node



2. Set required environment variables

In the **SSH** terminal:

1. Set the environment variable REPO_HOME to point to the repository home directory
    - **`export REPO_HOME=/opt/eaglei/repo`**
2. Set the environment variable SPARQLER_HOME to point to the SPARQLer home directory
    - **`export SPARQLER_HOME=/opt/eaglei/sparqler`**
3. Verify the variables have been set correctly
    - **`echo ${REPO_HOME}`**
    - **`echo ${SPARQLER_HOME}`**

Set environment variables

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[root@ip-172-31-54-208 repo]# export REPO_HOME=/opt/eaglei/repo/
[root@ip-172-31-54-208 repo]# export SPARQLER_HOME=/opt/eaglei/sparqler/
[root@ip-172-31-54-208 repo]# echo ${REPO_HOME}
/opt/eaglei/repo/
[root@ip-172-31-54-208 repo]# echo ${SPARQLER_HOME}
/opt/eaglei/sparqler/
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