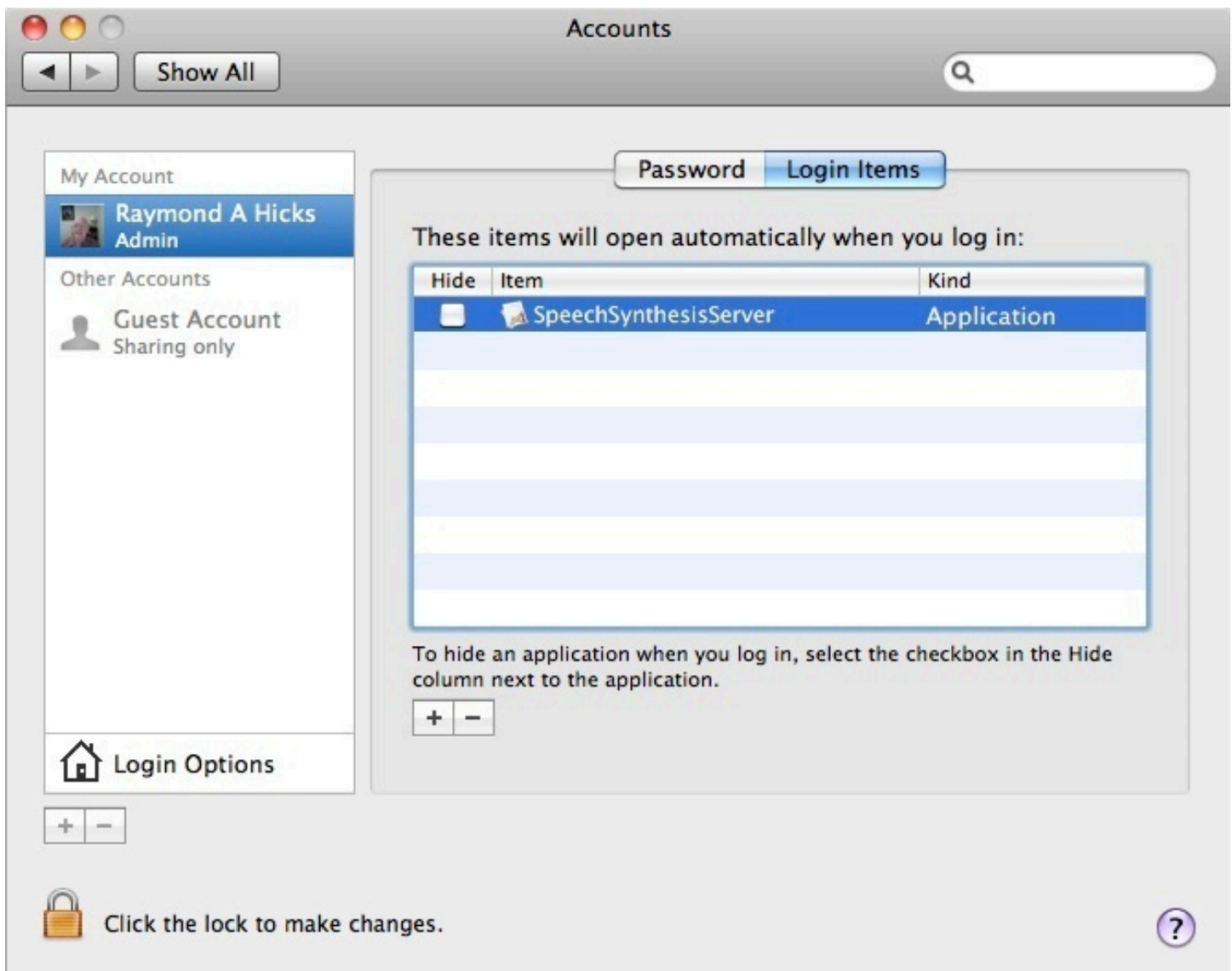


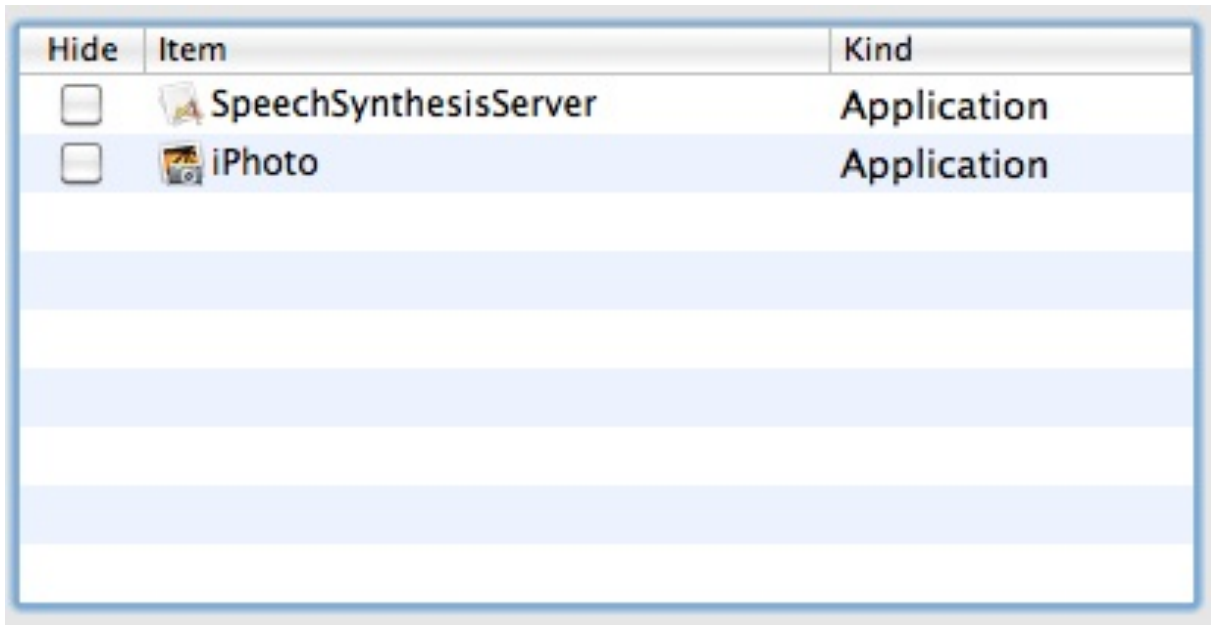
## Opening an Application at Login



### Method #1 Setting a System Preference

From the Apple Menu - Open Systems Preferences, then select Accounts. Click on the Login Items tab. Click the + box (it's to the right of the Account List. Next select the application that you want to be a startup item.



In this example I chose the application - IPhoto.



Hide	Item	Kind
<input type="checkbox"/>	 SpeechSynthesisServer	Application
<input type="checkbox"/>	 iPhoto	Application

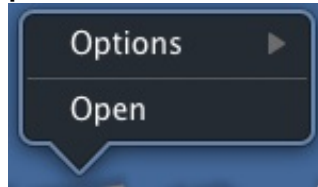
Once added to this list, that item will then open automatically each time you login to your Mac.

**To permanently prevent an item from opening automatically when you log in:**

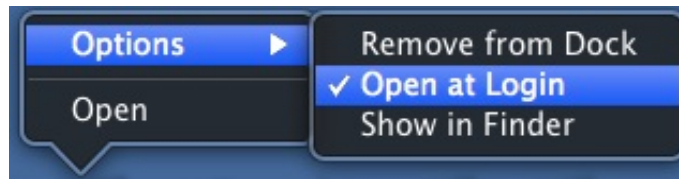
- Select the item in the login items list.
- Click the Delete ( - ) button.

## Method #2 Using the Icon in the Dock

To set an automatic login for an application, from the Dock, locate it's Icon, then Click (press and hold down) on that applications icon and wait for the Contextual Menu to "Spring Up."



While continuing to hold the mouse button down, gently slide the cursor upward and select "Options," then, select Open at Login, then release the button.



That item will then start automatically each time you login to your Mac. (Note: You can also select a folder or even a specific document to open using these methods.)

### **To temporarily prevent items from opening automatically when you log in:**

- In the login window, hold down the Shift key while clicking the Log In button.
- Continue holding down the Shift key until you see the Dock.

### **To permanently prevent an item from opening automatically when you log in:**

- Select the item in the login items list.
- Click the Delete (-) button.