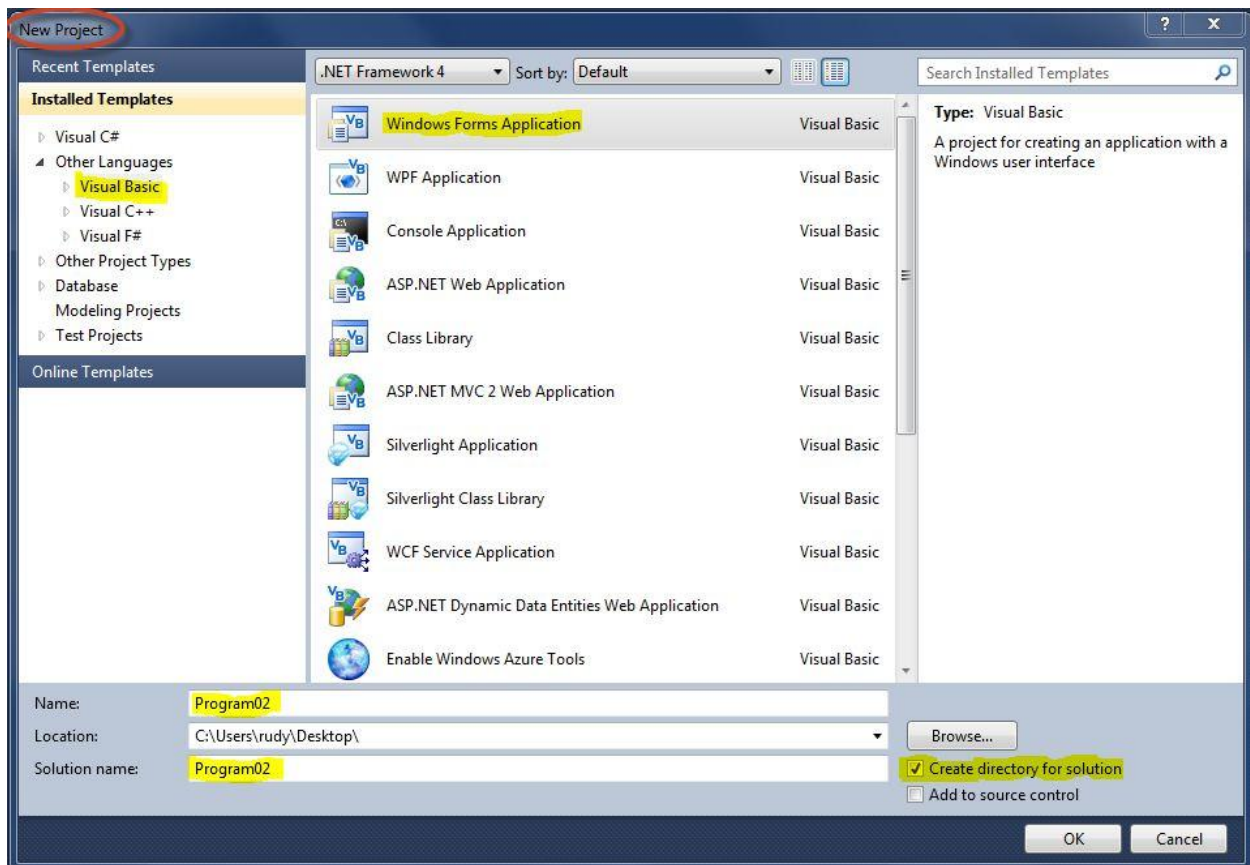


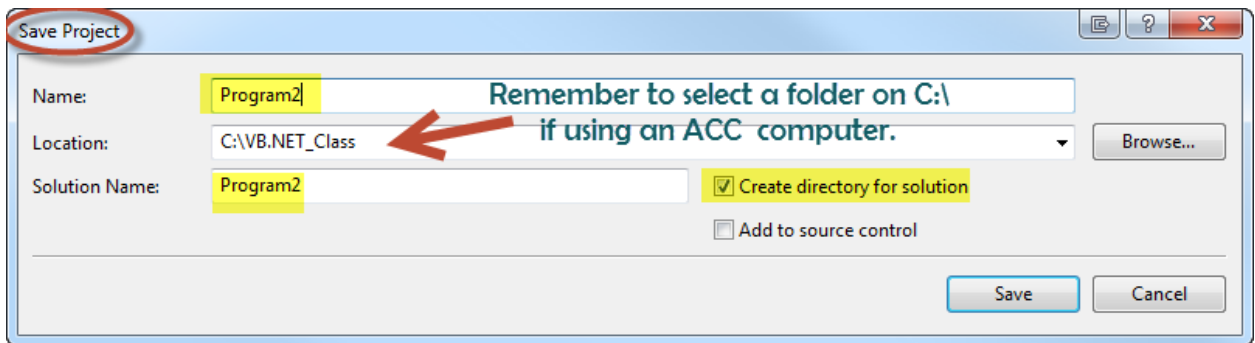
Creating and Compressing the Solutions Directory

For your programs to operate correctly during verification testing by the professor, **all files** associated with the **Solution** must be uploaded to Blackboard (Bb). To accomplish the creation, compression, and upload, do the following:

1. In Visual Studio, select File | New | Project and the dialog box below will appear. A dialog box like this may emerge when you first attempt to **save** the project and not at the point of **creation**. More on this point later.
2. Make the selections like those shown in the dialog box.
3. A directory (folder) for the solution will appear in the location chosen (I chose the desktop). Select a folder on C:\ if you are using an ACC lab machine since the desktop is a remote folder on ACC machines.



4. If you do not see the options below when first **creating** the project, then you should see the next dialog box when you first **save** the project.



5. After you have thoroughly tested the program and ensured that it meets all requirements, it is ready for submission to Bb.
6. Right-click on the folder on the desktop (or your location) and select Send to | Compressed (zipped) Folder.
7. A new compressed “zipped” file is created which contains the entire Solutions directory (see figure below). The new **zip file** should then be uploaded/submitted to Bb. Remember to select “Submit” (not save) in Bb to upload your assignment.

