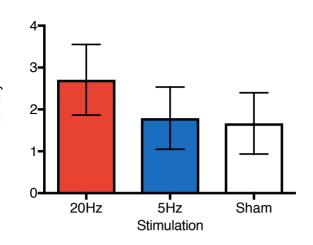
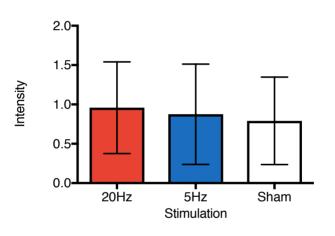
Supplemental Information

Modulation of Long-Range Connectivity Patterns
via Frequency-Specific Stimulation of Human Cortex

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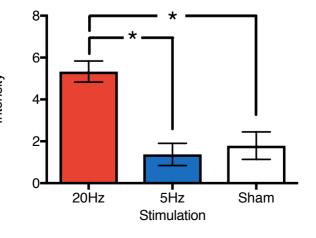
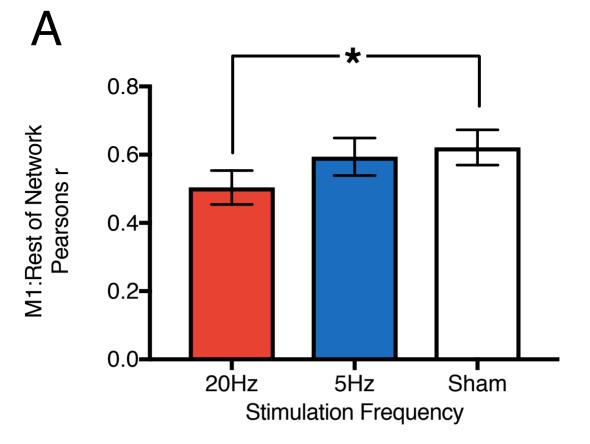


Figure S1. Subject reported experience of tACS-induced phenomena, Related to Figure 1.

Paraesthesia (A), pain (B), and phosphenes (C) were rated on a visual analogue scale from 0 -10. There was no difference in the perception of paraesthesia and pain between the three stimulation conditions (20Hz, 5Hz and Sham) (Repeated Measures ANOVA: sensation: F(2,22) = 1.73, p = 0.20; pain: F(1.108,12.186) = 0.33 p = 0.60). However, there was a significant difference in the strength of phosphenes perceived between the three stimulation conditions (Repeated Measures ANOVA: F(1.37, 15.01) = 28.52, p < 0.001). Phosphenes perceived during tACS with this electrode montage are likely to be due to direct stimulation of the retina, rather than reflecting stimulation of the occipital cortex [S1]. Subsequent post hoc t-tests revealed 20Hz stimulation elicited a significantly stronger perception of phosphenes compared with both sham and 5Hz stimulation (20Hz versus sham: t(11)=5.11, p < 0.001; 20Hz versus 5Hz:, t(11)=6.20, p < 0.001 [corrected]). There was no significant relationship between phosphene rating during 20Hz tACS and the strength of the motor network in response to 20Hz tACS (r=0.32, p=0.30), nor between phosphene rating and the strength of the DMN during 20Hz tACS (0.47, 0.001).



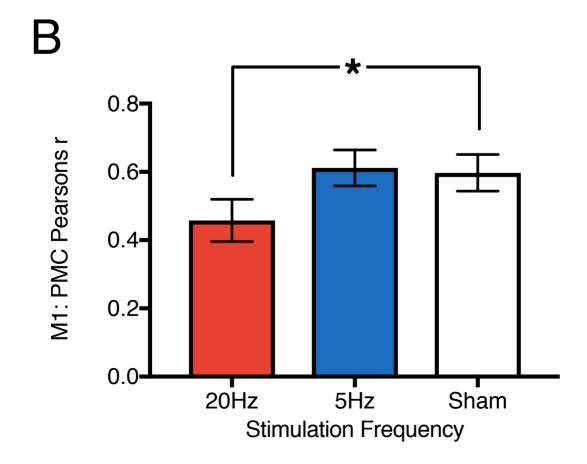


Figure S2. Region of Interest analyses. Related to Figure 2.

ROI analyses highlighting the change in connectivity between left M1 and (A) the motor network excluding the M1s bilaterally and (B) the left Premotor Cortex. Mean \pm SEM, * p < 0.05.

Supplemental References

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