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Leveraging Precision fMRI and TMS for Understanding and Modulating Brain Network Plasticity

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Neuroplasticity is key to understanding how the human brain adapts following disruptions such as aging and stroke. In this talk, I will first present how "precision fMRI" enhances our understanding of distinct patterns of adaptation in the language and cognitive control networks, and I will discuss how these neural changes relate to cognitive performance. I will then present a neuromodulation approach that enables the selective engagement of distinct functional networks at the individual level with transcranial magnetic stimulation (TMS). This approach combines precision network mapping and electric field (E-field) optimization in an automated pipeline to assess network-level effects of TMS protocols. This talk discusses future directions to guide clinical neurostimulation decisions within individuals and enhance clinical outcomes.

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