Sonogenetics for noninvasive and cellular-level neuromodulation in rodent brain

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Supplementary Information

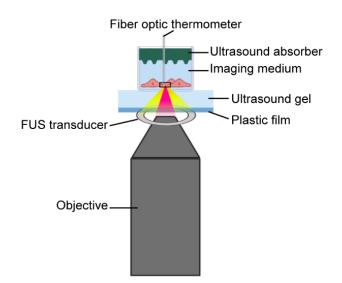


Fig. S1. Illustration of the experimental setup for *in vitro* simultaneous FUS stimulation and Ca²⁺ fluorescence imaging.

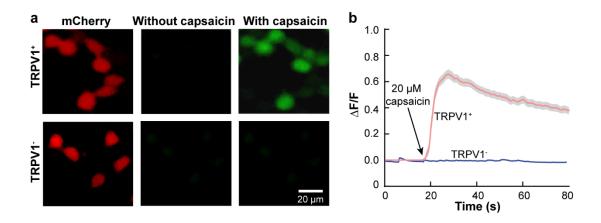


Fig. S2. Functional assessment of TRPV1 ion channel expressed in HEK293T cells. (a) Fluorescence images of HEK293T cells transduced with the pLenti-CamKII-TRPV1-p2AmCherry (TRPV⁺) or pLenti-CaMKII-mCherry-WPRE (TRPV⁻). Capsaicin, a TRPV1 agonist, was added to test the functionality of TRPV1. (b) Ca²⁺ fluorescence intensity change (Δ F/F) as a function of time. Shaded areas represent standard error of the mean and solid lines are the average intensity of 30 randomly selected cells.

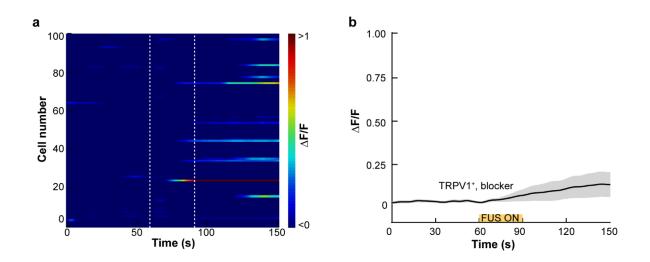


Fig. S3. TRPV1 antagonist capsazepine reduces FUS-induced Ca²⁺ influx in TRPV1⁺ HEK293T cell. (a) Heat map of the Ca²⁺ fluorescence intensity of 100 automatically selected TRPV1⁺ cells treated by adding 20 μ M capsazepine (TRPV1 antagonist) followed by FUS stimulation. (b) Fluorescence intensity as a function of time of the cells in (a) that responded to FUS stimulation. Shaded area indicates SEM and the solid line indicates the mean intensity.

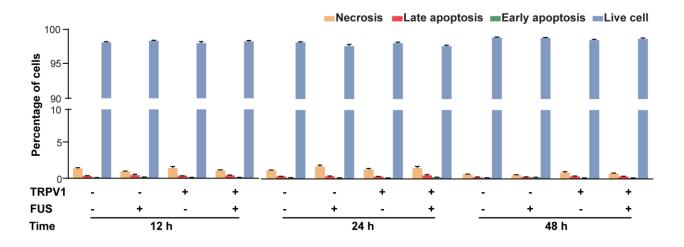


Fig. S4. **Evaluation of HEK293T cell viability after FUS stimulation**. The cells were labeled with Annexin V-FITC (AV) and propidium iodide (PI), and then measured by flow cytometry. Percentages of necrotic cells (AV-, PI+), early apoptotic cells (AV+, PI-), late apoptotic cells (AV+, PI+), and live cells (AV-, PI-) were measured at 12 h, 24 h and 48 h after FUS treatment. Error bars indicate SEM for 4 independent trials.

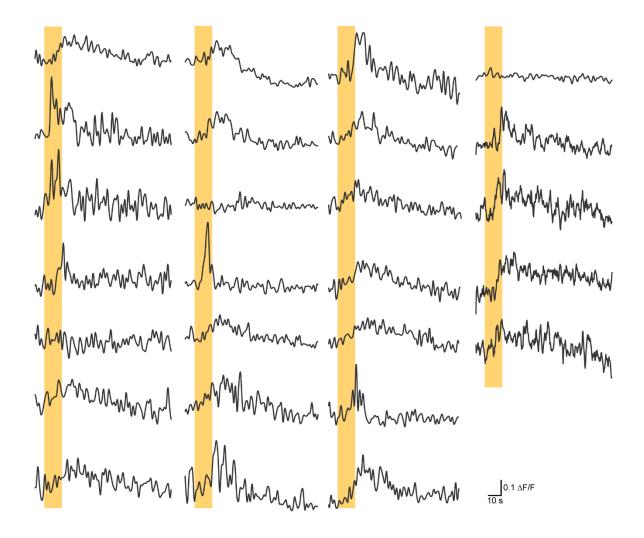


Fig. S5. Ca²⁺ fluorescence intensity curves quantified based on in vivo two-photon microscopic imaging of 26 independent trials from 13 neurons in the mouse cortex. Yellow bars indicate the FUS stimulation time.