

Supporting information

Ruthenium@mesoporous graphene-like carbon: a novel three-dimensional material as cathode catalyst for lithium oxygen batteries

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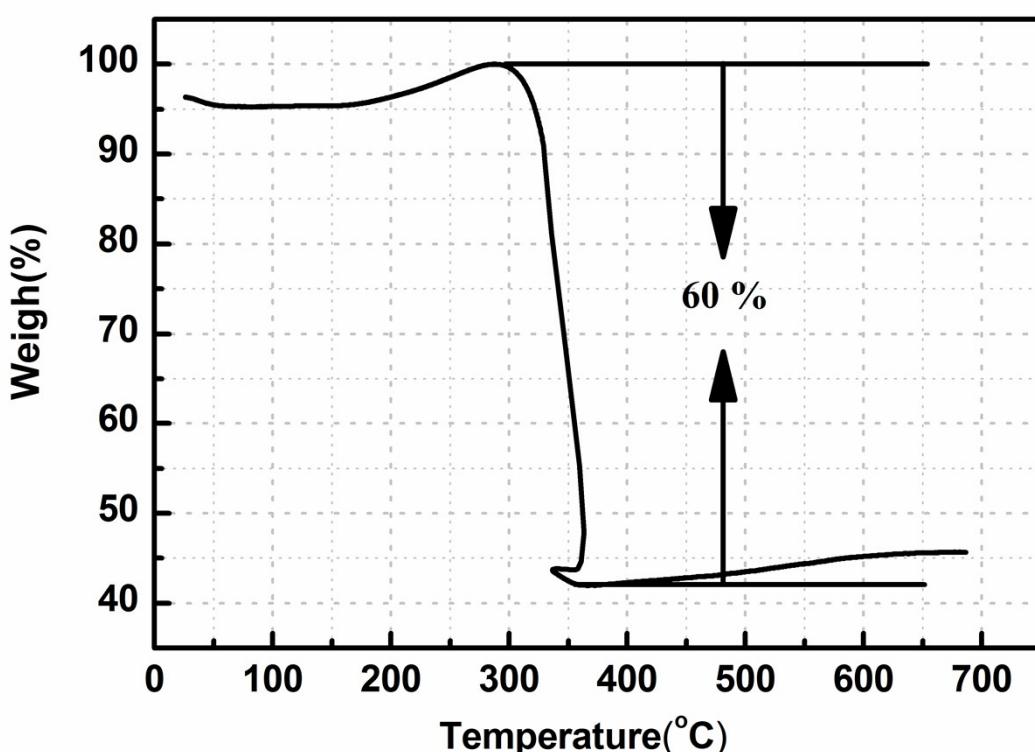


Fig. S1 TGA curve of the Ru@MPG composites.

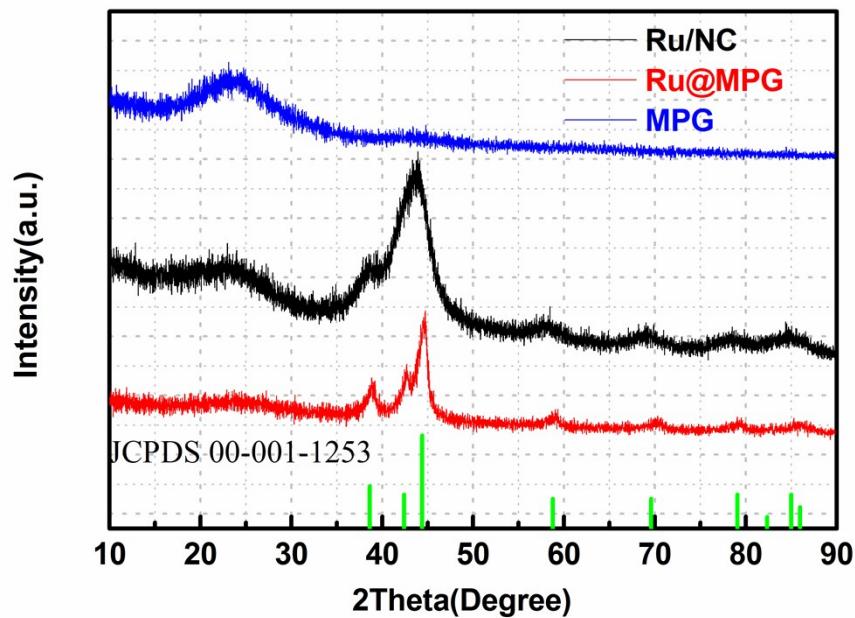


Fig. S2 XRD patterns of the MPG, Ru@MPG, and Ru/NC composites.

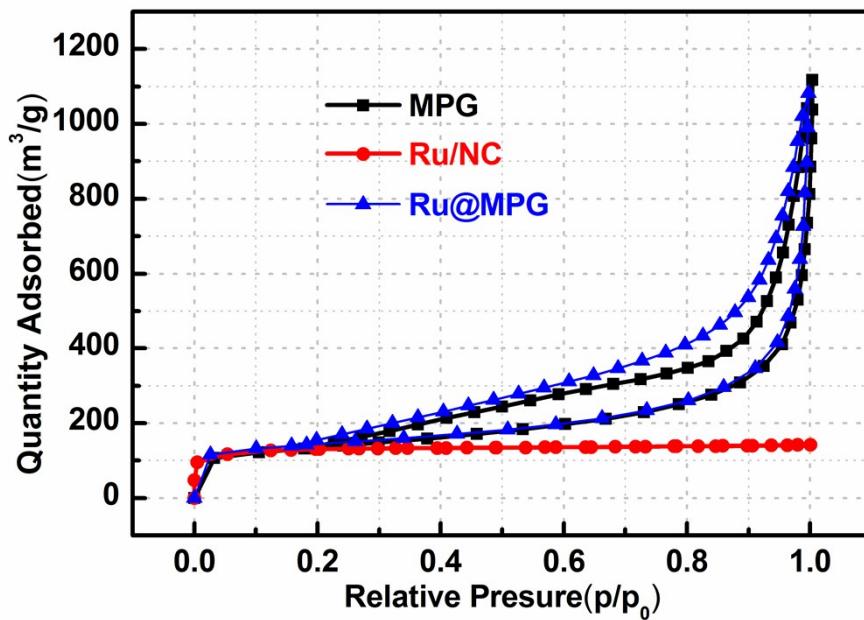


Fig. S3 Nitrogen adsorption/desorption isotherms of the MPG, Ru@MPG, and Ru/NC composites.

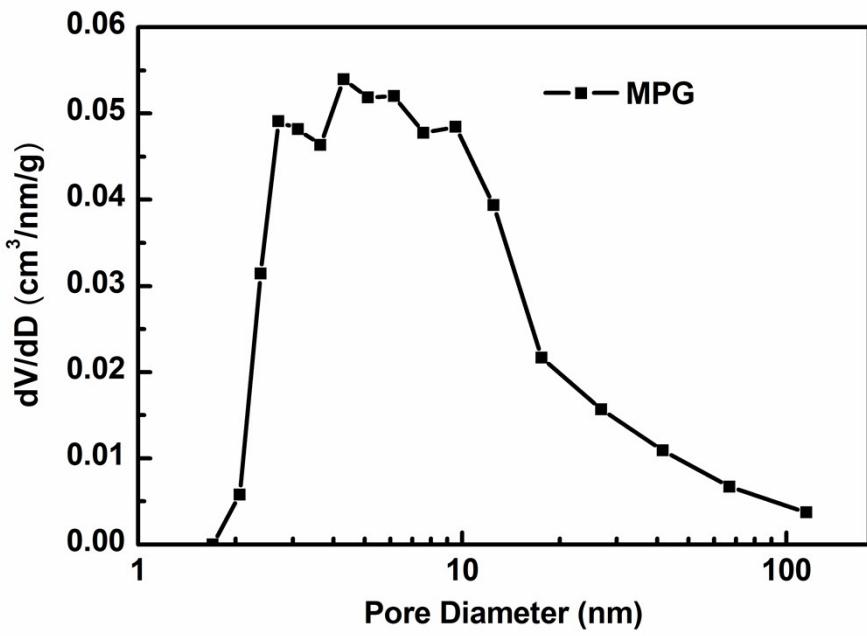


Fig. S4 BJH pore size distributions of the MPG.

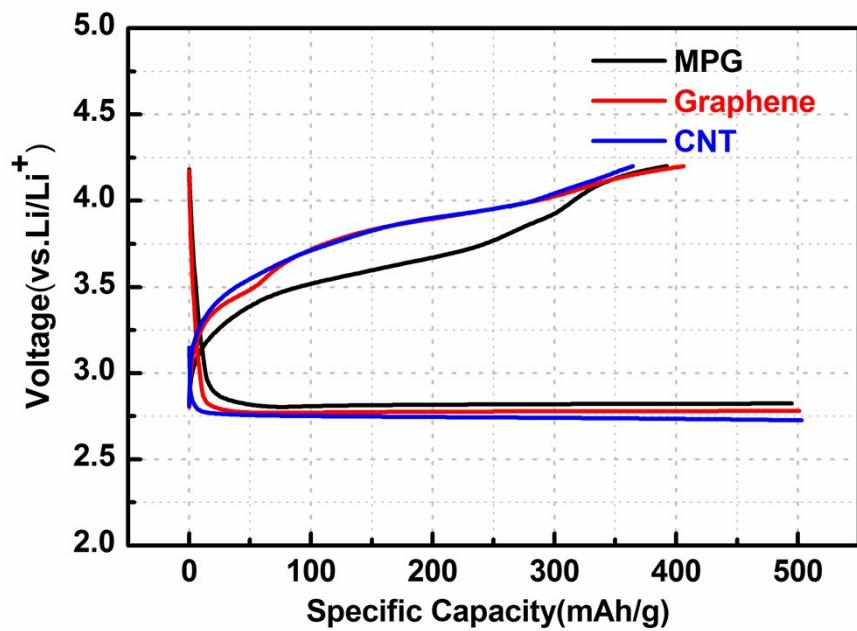


Fig. S5 Discharge/charge profiles of the MPG, Graphene and CNT electrodes at a current density of 100 mA g^{-1} with a discharge capacity of 500 mA h g^{-1} .

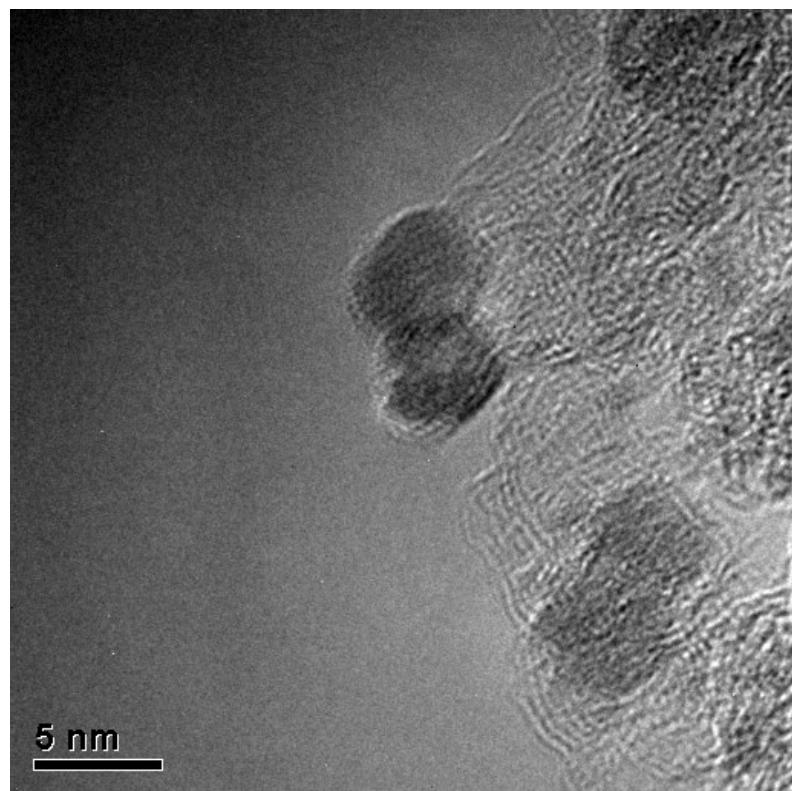


Fig. S6 HRTEM image of the Ru@MPG composite.

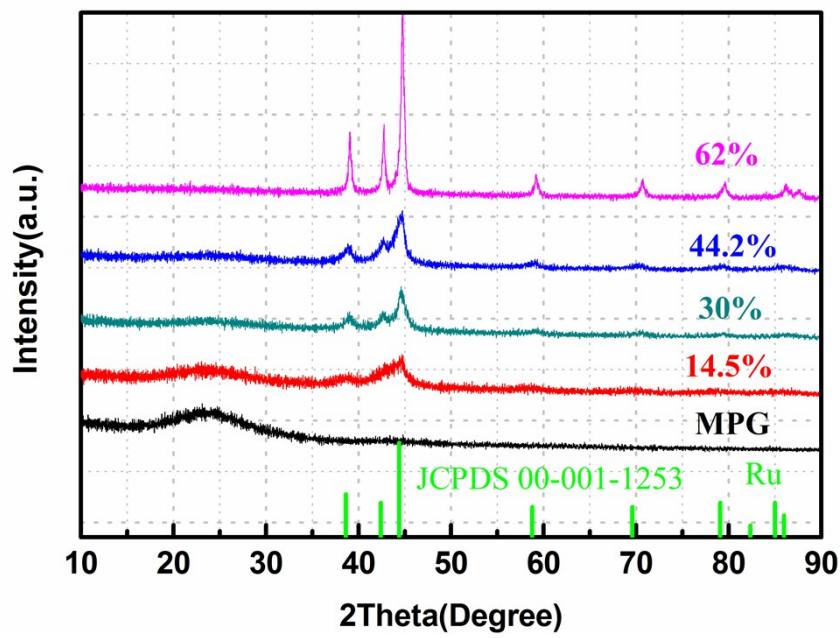


Fig. S7 XRD patterns of the MPG, 14.5 wt%, 30 wt%, 44.2 wt% and 62 wt% Ru@MPG composites.

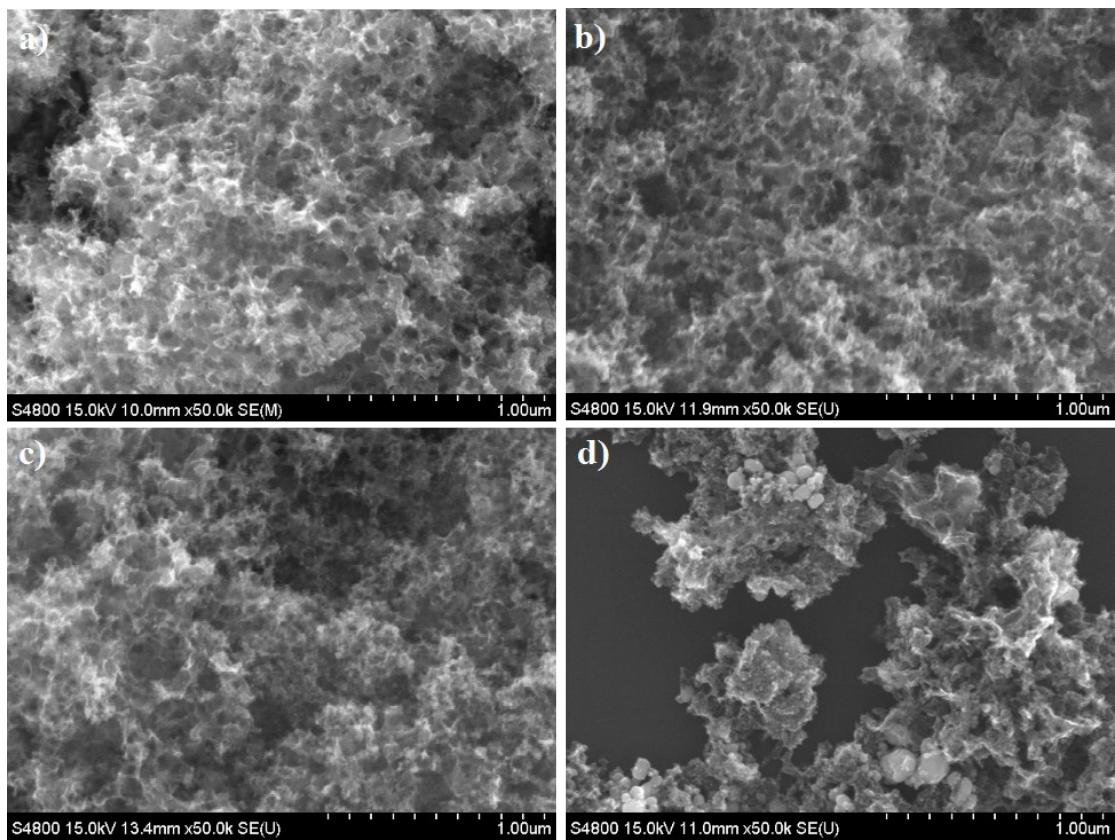


Fig. S8 SEM images of 14.5 wt%, 30 wt%, 44.2 wt% and 62 wt% Ru@MPG composites.

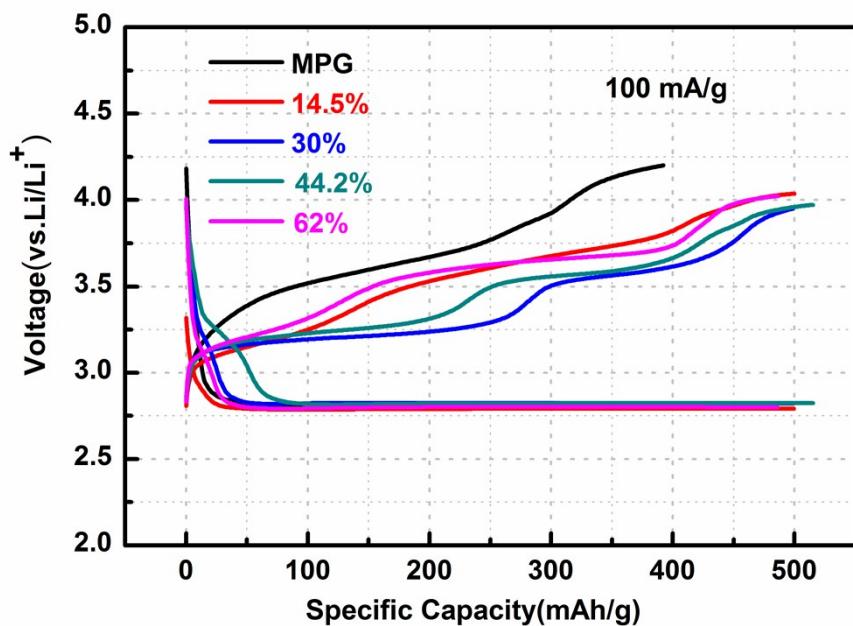


Fig. S9 Discharge/charge profiles of the MPG, 14.5 wt%, 30 wt%, 44.2 wt% and 62 wt% Ru@MPG composites electrodes at a current density of 100 mA g⁻¹ with a discharge capacity of 500 mA h g⁻¹.

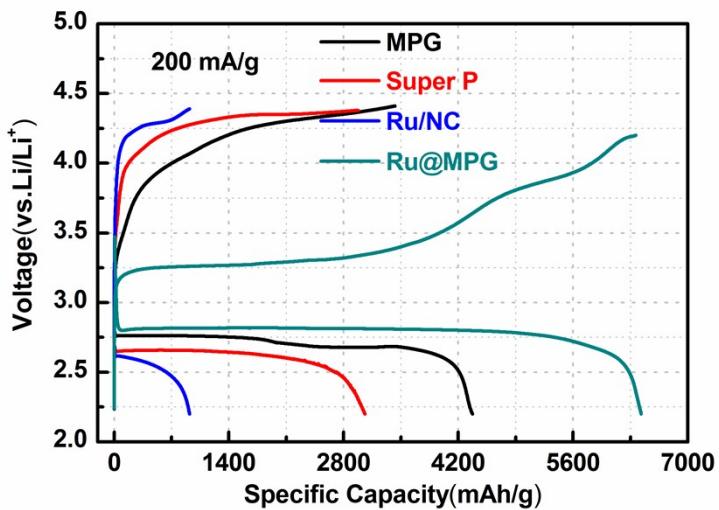


Fig. S10 Full discharge/charge profiles of the MPG, Super P, Ru@MPG, and Ru/NC composites electrodes at a current density of 200 mA g^{-1} .

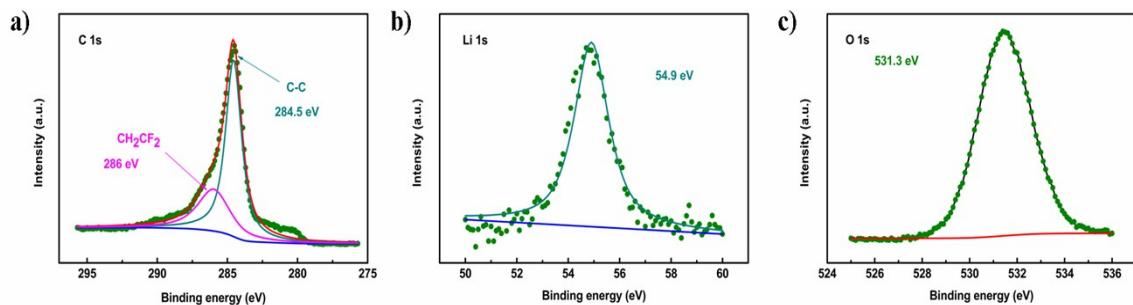


Fig. S11 XPS spectra of a) C 1s, b) Li 1s and c) O 1s of Ru@MPG composite after discharged for 10 h at a current density of $100 \text{ mA} \cdot \text{g}^{-1}$.

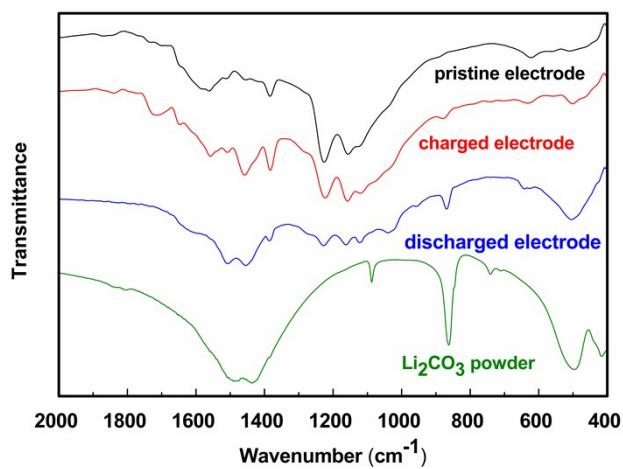


Fig. S12 FTIR spectra of the discharged, charged and pristine electrode of Ru@MPG and commercial Li₂CO₃ powder.

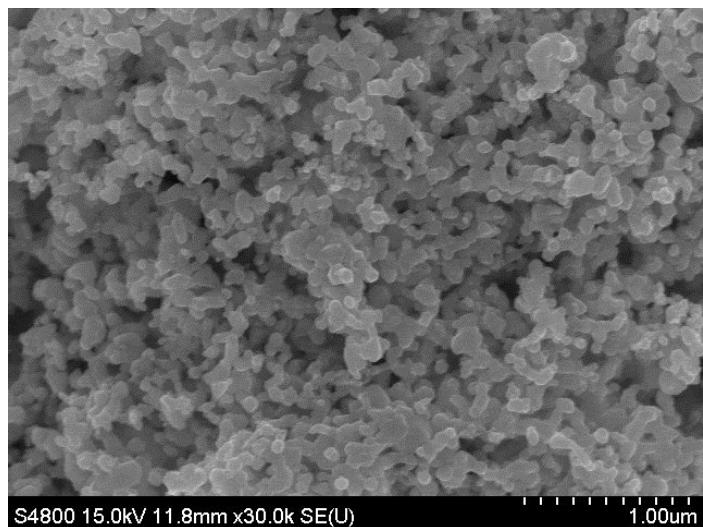


Fig. S13 SEM image of the Ru nanoparticles.

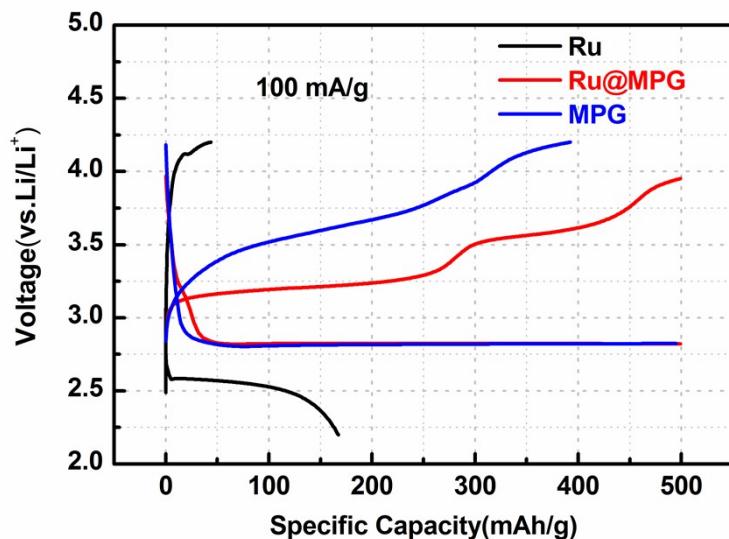


Fig. S14 Discharge/charge profiles of the MPG, 30 wt% Ru@MPG composites, and Ru electrodes at a current density of 100 mA g⁻¹ with a discharge capacity of 500 mA h g⁻¹.