## **Electronic Supporting Information (ESI)**

Mesoporous Graphitic Carbon Microtubes Derived from Fullerene C<sub>70</sub> Tubes as a High Performance Electrode Material for Advanced Supercapacitors

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### 1. Synthetic scheme of microtubes



Scheme S1. Synthesis of FT\_15, HTFT\_900 and HTFT\_2000

2. SEM images of FT\_15



Figure S1. FE-SEM images of FT\_15





Figure S2. Diameter distribution plot of FT\_15

4. TEM images of FT\_15



Figure S3. TEM images of FT\_15

5. HR-TEM images of FT\_15



Figure S4. HR-TEM images of FT\_15

6. FT-IR spectra of FT\_15



Figure S5.  $FT_{IR}$  spectra of pristine  $C_{70}$  and  $FT_{15}$ 



7. Thermogravimetric analysis (TGA) of FT\_15

**Figure S6**. Thermogravimetry (TG) curve of FT\_15 recorded at temperature ramp of 10 °C min<sup>-1</sup>.



# 8. TEM images of incomplete dissolution of FT\_15

Figure S7. TEM images of incomplete dissolution of the tubes

9. SEM images of HTFT\_900



Figure S8. SEM images of HTFT\_900

10. TEM images of HTFT\_900



Figure S9. TEM images of HTFT\_900

11. HR-TEM images of HTFT\_900



Figure S10. HR-TEM and STEM images of HTFT\_900



12. Additional SEM images of HTFT\_2000

Figure S11. SEM images of HTFT\_2000



13. Additional TEM images of HTFT\_2000

Figure S12. TEM images of HTFT\_2000



14. Additional HR-TEM images of HTFT\_2000

Figure S13. HR-TEM images of HTFT\_2000





Figure S14. (a) CV plot of FT\_15 and (b) HTFT\_900



Figure S15. (a-b) Charge discharge plot of FT\_15 and HTFT\_900 respectively

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### 17. **I-V curve**



**Figure 16**. I-V characteristic curves of HTFT\_900 and HTFT\_2000 recorded using probe station.