Electronic Supplementary Information

Rational design of hybrid porous nanotubes with robust structure of

ultrafine Li₄Ti₅O₁₂ nanoparticles embedded in bamboo-like CNTs for

superior lithium ion storage

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Fig. S1 SEM and TEM images of PNTs (a, b), SPNTs (c, d) and BCNTs (e, f).



Fig. S2 N_2 adsorption-desorption isotherm and pore size distribution profile of SPNTs.



Fig. S3 HRTEM image of LNC.



Fig. S4 EDS-mappings of (a) carbon, (b) oxygen, (c) titanium in LNC and its energy spectrum (d).



Fig. S5 Coulombic efficiency of LNC at at 0.2 A $\rm g^{-1}.$



Fig. S6 Cyclic voltammograms of LCC at a scan rate of 0.1 mV s⁻¹.



Fig. S7 Cycle performance of BCNTs over 0.01-3.0 V (versus Li^+/Li) at 0.2 A g⁻¹.