

**Supporting information**

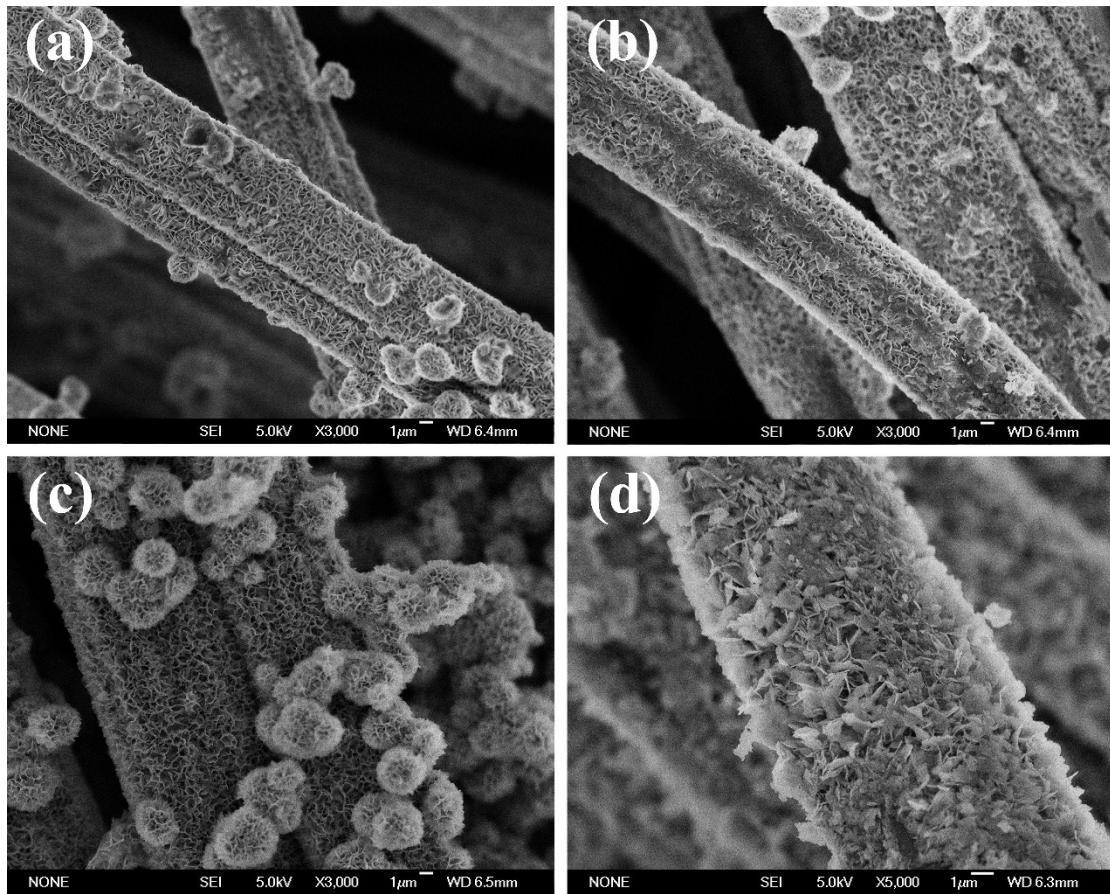
**Role of Double Interfaces in Inspiring Energy Storage  
Devices in CC@Ni(OH)Cl@NiO Flexible Electrodes**

*Sixian Fu,<sup>a</sup> Liping Li,<sup>a</sup> Lingshen Meng,<sup>a</sup> Mengyue Gao,<sup>a</sup> Shuaikai Xu,<sup>b</sup> Xiyang Wang,<sup>a</sup>  
Yuelan Zhang<sup>a</sup> and Guangshe Li<sup>\*a</sup>*

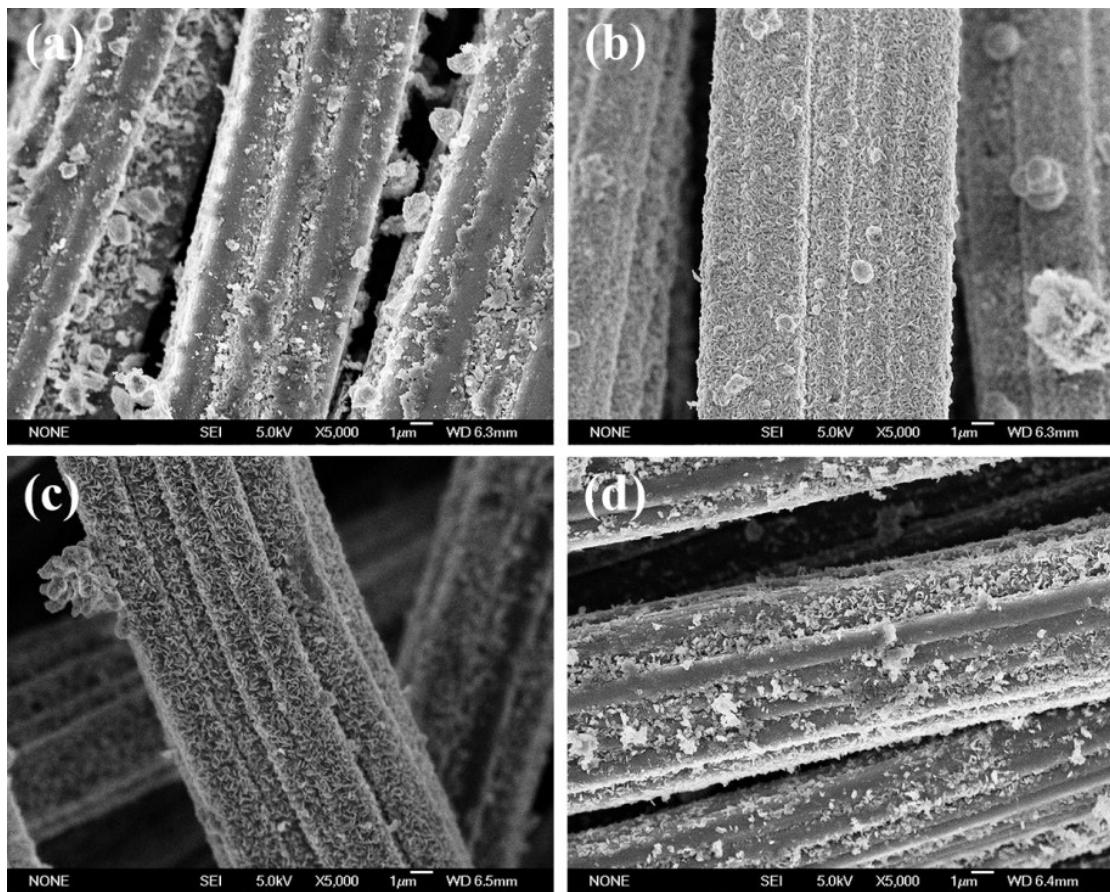
<sup>a</sup> State Key Laboratory of Inorganic Synthesis and Preparative Chemistry, College of Chemistry, Jilin University, Changchun 130012, P.R. China

<sup>b</sup> Key Laboratory of Physics and Technology for Advanced Batteries, Ministry of Education, Jilin University, Changchun 130012, P.R. China

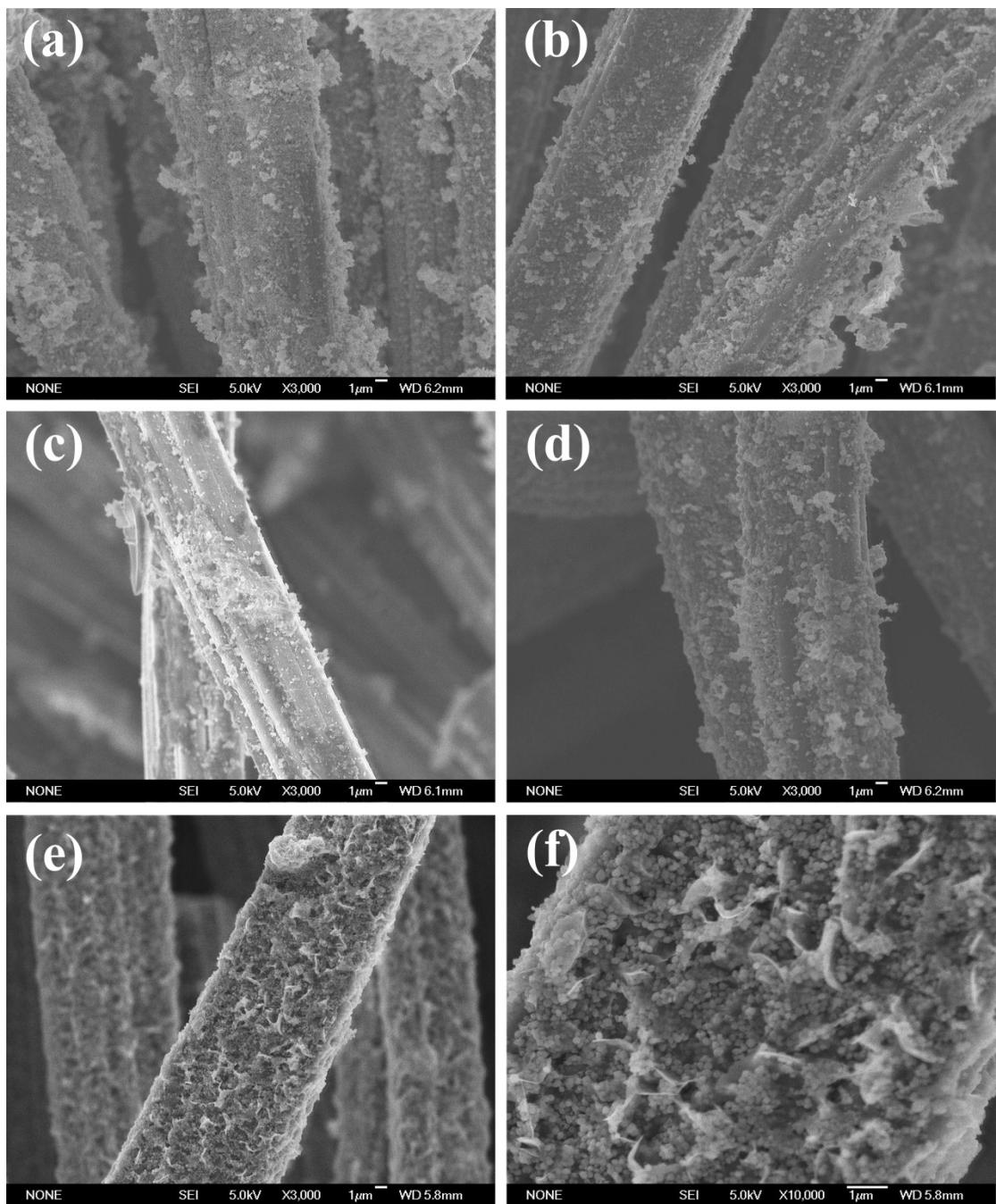
\*E-mail: [guangshe@jlu.edu.cn](mailto:guangshe@jlu.edu.cn).



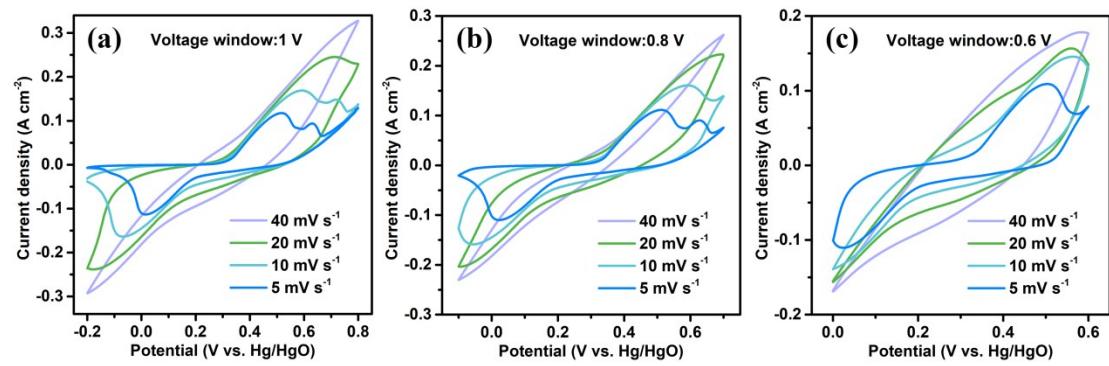
**Fig. S1** SEM images of CC@Ni(OH)Cl synthesized by different solvothermal conditions: (a) 10 mmol NiCl<sub>2</sub>·6H<sub>2</sub>O precursor reacted at 140 °C for 12 h; (b) 10 mmol NiCl<sub>2</sub>·6H<sub>2</sub>O precursor reacted at 160 °C for 12 h; (c) 6 mmol NiCl<sub>2</sub>·6H<sub>2</sub>O precursor reacted at 180 °C for 12 h; (d) 10 mmol NiCl<sub>2</sub>·6H<sub>2</sub>O precursor reacted at 200 °C for 12 h.



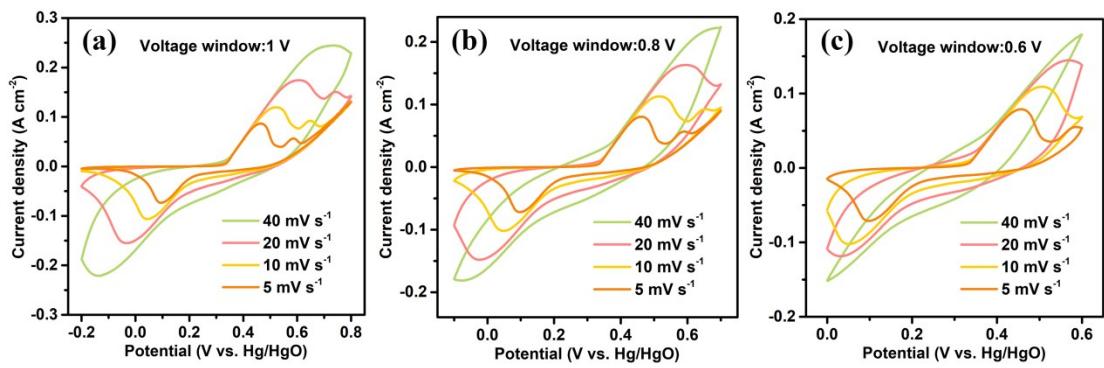
**Fig. S2** SEM images of CC@Ni(OH)NO<sub>3</sub> synthesized by different solvothermal conditions: (a) 12 mmol Ni(NO<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>·6H<sub>2</sub>O precursor reacted at 180 °C for 12 h; (b) 14 mmol Ni(NO<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>·6H<sub>2</sub>O precursor reacted at 180 °C for 12 h; (c) 10 mmol Ni(NO<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>·6H<sub>2</sub>O precursor reacted at 200 °C for 12 h; (d) 10 mmol Ni(NO<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>·6H<sub>2</sub>O precursor reacted at 160 °C for 12 h.



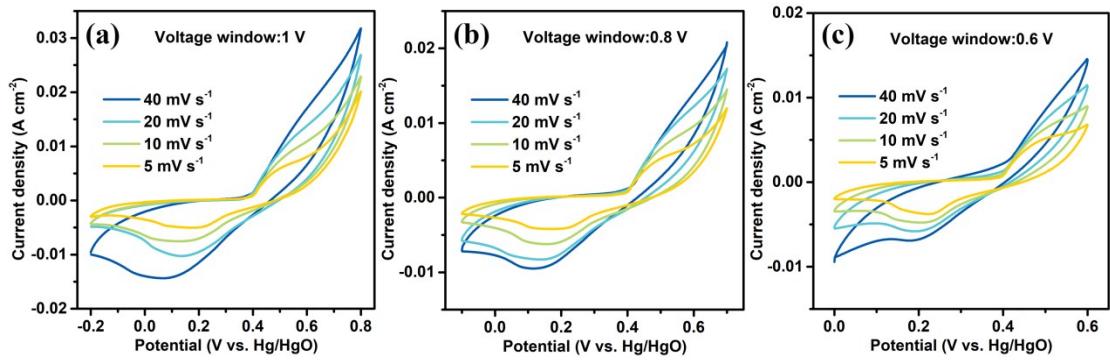
**Fig. S3** SEM images of CC@Ni(OH)CH<sub>3</sub>COO synthesized by different solvothermal conditions: (a) 10 mmol Ni(CH<sub>3</sub>COO)<sub>2</sub>·4H<sub>2</sub>O precursor reacted at 140 °C for 12 h; (b) 10 mmol Ni(CH<sub>3</sub>COO)<sub>2</sub>·4H<sub>2</sub>O precursor reacted at 160 °C for 12 h; (c) 10 mmol Ni(CH<sub>3</sub>COO)<sub>2</sub>·4H<sub>2</sub>O precursor reacted at 200 °C for 12 h; (d) 10 mmol Ni(CH<sub>3</sub>COO)<sub>2</sub>·4H<sub>2</sub>O precursor reacted at 180 °C for 24 h; (e-f) 10 mmol Ni(CH<sub>3</sub>COO)<sub>2</sub>·4H<sub>2</sub>O precursor reacted at 180 °C for 12 h.



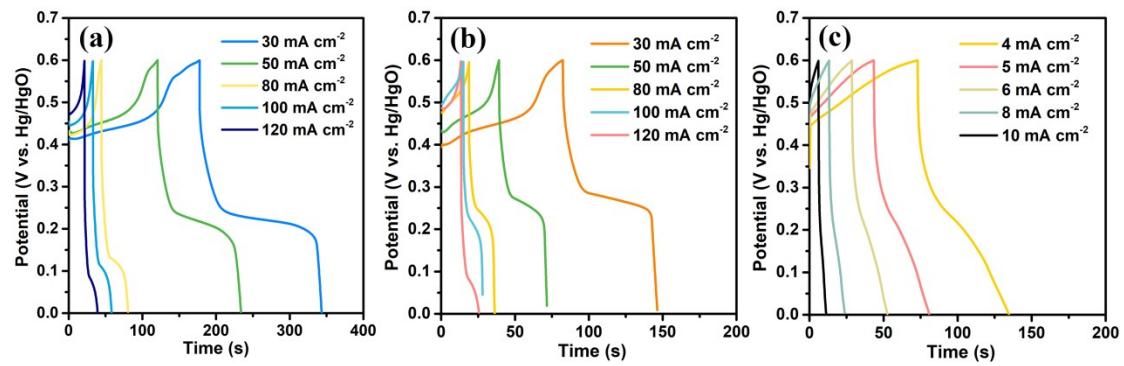
**Fig. S4** CV curves of CC@Ni(OH)Cl@NiO electrode with scan rates from 5 to 40  $\text{mV s}^{-1}$  in various voltage windows: (a) 1 V, (b) 0.8 V, and (c) 0.6 V.



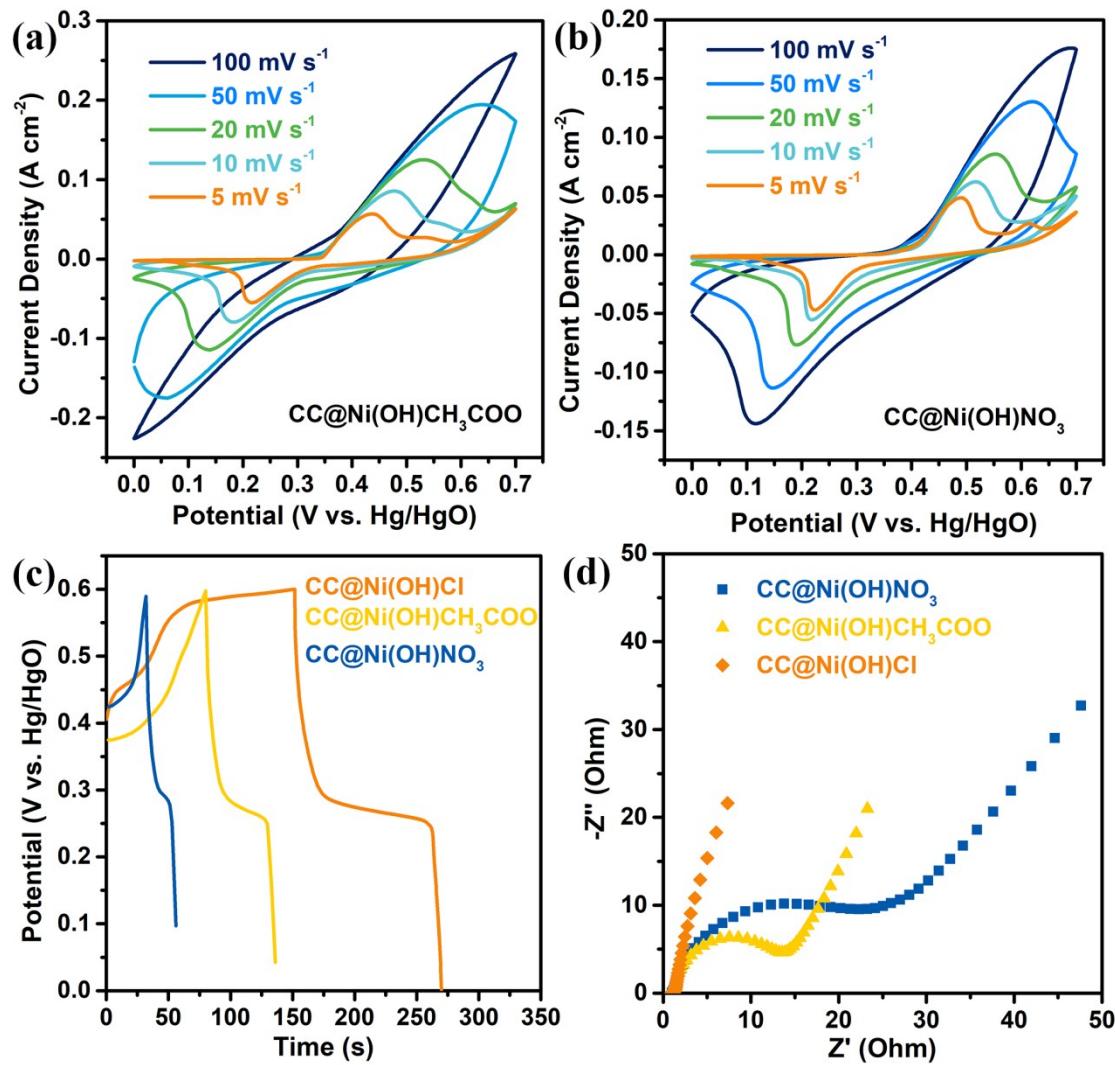
**Fig. S5** CV curves of CC@Ni(OH)Cl electrode with scan rates from 5 to 40  $\text{mV s}^{-1}$  in various voltage windows: (a) 1 V, (b) 0.8 V, and (c) 0.6 V.



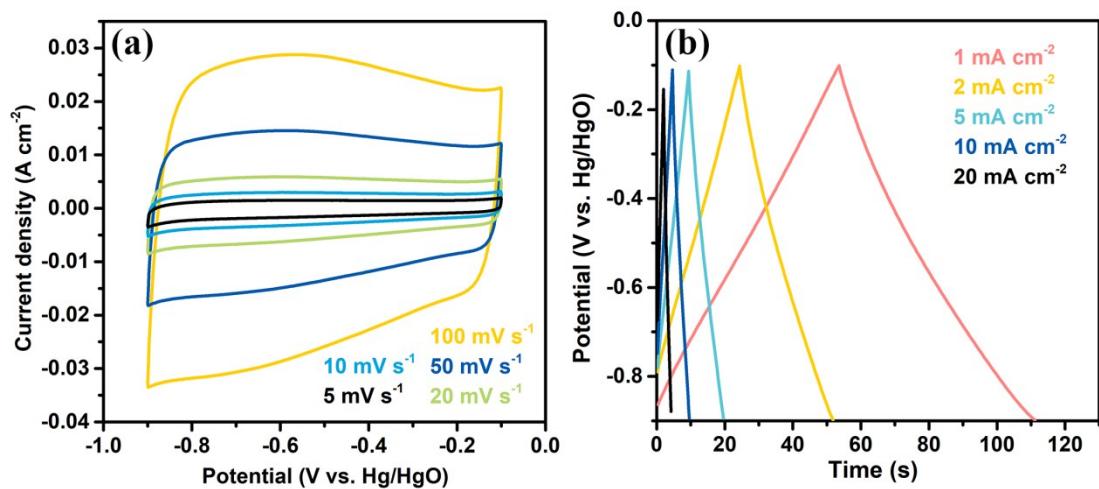
**Fig. S6** CV curves of Ni(OH)Cl pasted on CC electrode with scan rates from 5 to 40  $\text{mV s}^{-1}$  in various voltage windows: (a) 1 V, (b) 0.8 V, and (c) 0.6 V.



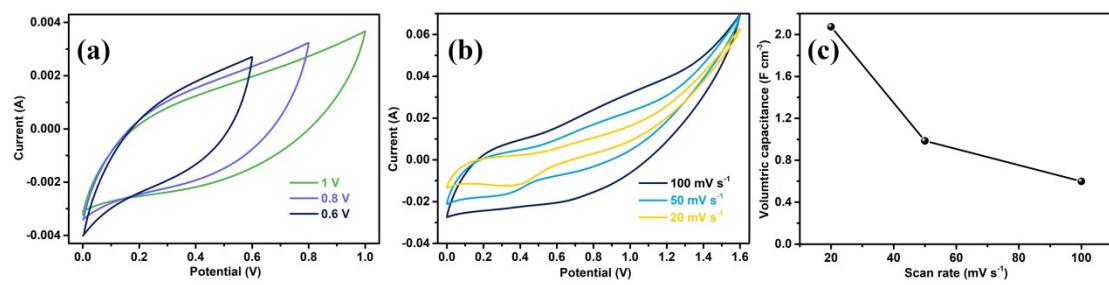
**Fig. S7** GCD curves under various current densities: (a) CC@Ni(OH)Cl@NiO, (b) CC@Ni(OH)Cl, and (c) Ni(OH)Cl pasted on CC.



**Fig. S8** (a) CV curves of  $\text{CC}@\text{Ni(OH)}\text{CH}_3\text{COO}$  electrode at various scan rates; (b) CV curves of  $\text{CC}@\text{Ni(OH)}\text{NO}_3$  electrode at various scan rates; (c) Comparative GCD curves of  $\text{CC}@\text{Ni(OH)}\text{Cl}$ ,  $\text{CC}@\text{Ni(OH)}\text{CH}_3\text{COO}$ , and  $\text{CC}@\text{Ni(OH)}\text{NO}_3$  electrodes at  $20 \text{ mA cm}^{-2}$ ; (d) Nyquist plots of  $\text{CC}@\text{Ni(OH)}\text{Cl}$ ,  $\text{CC}@\text{Ni(OH)}\text{CH}_3\text{COO}$ , and  $\text{CC}@\text{Ni(OH)}\text{Cl}@\text{NiO}$  electrodes.



**Fig. S9** (a) CV curves of graphene on CC electrode at various scan rates; (b) GCD curves of graphene on CC electrode under different current densities.



**Fig. S10** (a) CV curves of CC@Ni(OH)Cl@NiO//graphene device at potential window from 0.6 V to 1 V; (b) CV curves of CC@Ni(OH)Cl@NiO//graphene device at various scan rates; (c) Volumetric capacitance of CC@Ni(OH)Cl@NiO//graphene device under various scan rates.

**Table S1** Comparison of capacitive performance for double-interface CC@Ni(OH)Cl@NiO with recently reported Ni-based flexible electrodes.

| Material  | Electrolyte<br>(KOH<br>concentration) | Reference | Current<br>density<br>(mA cm <sup>-2</sup> ) | Areal<br>capacita<br>nce (F<br>cm <sup>-2</sup> ) | Current<br>density<br>(A g <sup>-1</sup> ) | Specific<br>capacitance<br>(F g <sup>-1</sup> ) |
|---|---------------------------------------|-----------|--|---|--|---|
| CC@Ni(OH)Cl@NiO                                       | 6 M                                   | This work | 30   | 8.29  | 8  | 2241  |
|   |                                       |           | 120  | 3.58  | 32   | 968   |
| Ni-Co@Ni-Co LDH<br>NTAs/CFC                           | 1 M                                   | 1         | 4.6  | 2.0   | 5  | 2200  |
| Co-Ni LDH/PWC   | 6 M                                   | 2         | -  | 1.076   | 5  | 1592.76   |
| NiMoO <sub>4</sub> @Ni-Co-S                           | 2 M                                   | 3         | 5  | 2.27  | -  | 1892  |
| Ni-decorated Co <sub>9</sub> S <sub>8</sub>           | 6 M                                   | 4         | 1  | 5.64  | -  | -   |
| Ni-Co-S/ACC   | 6 M                                   | 5         | -  | -   | 1  | 2392  |
| Ni(OH) <sub>2</sub> –MnO <sub>2</sub> /C<br>composite | 6 M                                   | 6         | -  | -   | 2<br>40                                    | 862<br>574                                      |

## References

- 1 Y. Liu, N. Fu, G. Zhang, M. Xu, W. Lu, L. Zhou and H. Huang, *Adv. Funct. Mater.*, 2017, **27**, 1605307.
- 2 X. Liang, G. Long, C. Fu, M. Pang, Y. Xi, J. Li, W. Han, G. Wei and Y. Ji, *Chem. Eng. J.*, 2018, **345**, 186-195.
- 3 C. Chen, D. Yan, X. Luo, W. Gao, G. Huang, Z. Han, Y. Zeng and Z. Zhu, *ACS Appl. Mater. Interfaces*, 2018, **10**, 4662-4671.
- 4 Y. Wen, Y. Liu, S. Dang, S. Tian, H. Li, Z. Wang, D. He, Z.-S. Wu, G. Cao and S. Peng, *J. Power Sources*, 2019, **423**, 106-114.
- 5 W. Zhao, Y. Zheng, L. Cui, D. Jia, D. Wei, R. Zheng, C. Barrow, W. Yang and J. Liu, *Chem. Eng. J.*, 2019, **371**, 461-469.
- 6 X. Xu, W. Shi, W. Liu, S. Ye, R. Yin, L. Zhang, L. Xu, M. Chen, M. Zhong and X. Cao, *J. Mater. Chem. A*, 2018, **6**, 24086-24091.