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Powering the Future: Cutting-Edge Advancements in Materials Processing and Battery Manufacturing

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Dear Colleagues,

The demand for lithium-ion batteries has increased dramatically in recent years, particularly driven by the fastgrowing electric vehicle market. The development of innovative materials processing and manufacturing technologies alongside new battery materials important to further reduce battery cost and improve energy density, fast-charging, safety, and lifetime. Considering the huge manufacturing quantity of batteries at present and its projected increase in the future, more sustainable manufacturing processes that can save production energy and cost, as well as reduce environmental impact and carbon emission are highly desirable. Simultaneously, these technologies have to meet the fast and large-scale production demand and/or must be transferable to the current mass production lines to reduce capital investments. As such, great challenges exist in the pathway to develop new materials processing and manufacturing technologies for lithium-ion batteries.

This Special Issue aims to publish the latest research in materials processing and manufacturing technologies for lithium-ion batteries that can contribute to more sustainable energy storage in the future.













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