

Course Syllabus

VM509

Battery Materials: Fundamentals and Applications 2018 Summer

Course Description:

Battery is ubiquitous in present-day technological applications, ranging from portable devices to grid-scale stationary energy storage. In this course, we will introduce the fundamentals of battery materials. The thermodynamics, chemistry and physics that govern the electrochemical performance of battery materials will be covered. Built upon the fundamental understanding, we will also discuss a wide variety of anode, cathode and electrolyte materials discovered to date. The course will be ended with economic analysis of battery materials and chemistries, and discuss the key factors which determine their application space (e.g., portable electronics vs. electric vehicles).

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Textbook (Author, Book Title, Publisher, Publication Year, ISBN):

Advanced Batteries: Materials Science Aspects,

Robert A. Huggins,

Springer,

ISBN: 978-0-387-76423-8

Course Prerequisites:

General Chemistry and thermodynamics, or related courses of similar topics

Course Website:

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Grading Policy (Assignments %, Project, Exams, etc.):

Grade is determined based on your term papers and class attendance. Each term paper is accompanied with an oral defense, which will be also graded. Maximum weighted points & % grade as follows:

Mid-term paper & defense	50%
Final thesis & defense	50%
Total Maximum	100%

Honor Code Policy:

Term papers must be completed independently; however, students are encouraged to discuss topics. Plagiarism is strictly forbidden. "Any violation of the Honor Code in the course of completion of the work leads to an automatic loss of all points for this work". You must cite your sources as a reference for all your graphs, pictures, figures, tables, theories, equations, etc. You are not allowed to make copies of any course materials without the written permission of the original publisher. You must follow JI policy on honor code and review consequences for violation of such policy. Refer to your student handbook for further honor code policies.

Teaching Schedule:

Week	NO.	Date	lectures and Exams	Comments
Min	1	May 14th	Basic principles of rechargeable batteries	
20101	2	May 16th	Basic principles of rechargeable batteries	
2	3	May 21st	Characterization techniques for battery materials	
	4	May 23rd	Characterization techniques for battery materials	
		_//	Lithium-ion Batteries: electrode materials, electrolyte and	
3	5	May 28th	critical interfaces	
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	6	May 30th	critical interfaces	
4			Lithium-ion Batteries: electrode materials, electrolyte and	
	7	June 4th	critical interfaces	
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	8	June 6th	critical interfaces	
5	9	June 11th	Sodium- and potassium-ion batteries	
	10	June 13th	Sodium- and potassium-ion batteries	



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	11	June 18th	NO CLASS Festi	ival
	12	June 20th	Multivalent batteries	
7	13	June 25th	Multivalent batteries Mid-term paper due	
1	14	June 27th	Mid-term paper defense	
8	15	July 2nd	Lithium-Air Batteries	
	16	July 4th	Lithium-Air Batteries	
9	17	July 9yh	Lithium-Sulfur Batteries	
	18	July 11th	Lithium-Sulfur Batteries	
10	19	July 16th	Solid-state batteries	
	20	July 18th	Holiday for Dragon Boat Festival	
11	21	July 23rd	Solid-state batteries	
	22	July 25th	Solid-state batteries	
			Economic analysis of batteries and considerations for	
12	23	July 30th	practical applications	
12			Economic analysis of batteries and considerations for	
	24	August 1st	practical applications Final thesis due	
13	25	August 6th	Final thesis defense	
13	26	August 8th		



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