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Special Materials Seminar Wednesday, June 17th at 3:30 p.m. Room 1315 Chemistry

"Beyond Lithium-ion Batteries"

Dr. Abe is one of the world's leading experts in lithium-ion batteries and electrolytes. He has published nearly 200 papers in the field of energy storage and is an editor of the journal *Power Sources*.

Professor Abe will discuss the present and future state of rechargeable energy sources, and the fundamental and practical factors which control future developments in this field.