2017 Solar Eclipse High Altitude Ballooning

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We will be showing the effectiveness of using high altitude balloons to preform experiments in the upper stratosphere. Along with the unique engineering challenges to overcome when fighting the conditions of the upper atmosphere, we will also be showing footage form our high-altitude balloon launched during the 2017 total solar eclipse. This is a great chance to see the shadow of the Moon form a whole new perspective.