English Idiom

Steal My Thunder

Steal My Thunder - to take attention away from someone; to steal an idea

- The guy in my office **stole my thunder**. I had a really good idea for a new project, but he told the boss before I had time to tell the boss.
- My brother is always **stealing my thunder** when we go out.
- Joe stole my thunder, when he told everyone he did all the work on the project.
- I wanted to tell my family I was getting married, but my sister **stole my thunder**, when she told everyone she was pregnant.
- It was my birthday, but my little sister stole the thunder.
- A company in America **stole our thunder**. We now need to come up with a new idea.

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