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Suzanna Lubrano receives nomination for the 2014 AFRIMMA Awards!

The Diva of Zouk Love, **Suzanna Lubrano**, has done it again! She has received a nomination certificate for the title '**Best Female Central Africa**' from the **African Muzik Magazine Awards (AFRIMMA)**.

This will be an exciting night for the talented Suzanna, as the AFRIMMA Awards showcase Africa's biggest acts and talents. Suzanna will also be up against other talented and respective nominees for the title, including Arielle T, Gasha, Lady Ponce, Ceuzeny and Ary. In order for Suzanna to win the title, she'll need to have the highest amount of public votes, which is collected online on the AFRIMMA nominee site in the following link: www.afrimma.com/afrimma-nominees-2014. Suzanna couldn't be more excited about the news, as she's already asking fans to vote for her on both her Facebook and Twitter pages.

Despite whether she wins or not, this nomination is an incredible privilege for Suzanna Lubrano as it'll put a spotlight on her incredible contribution to the global entertainment, as well as pay homage to her colleagues in the industry. Other titles that will also be awarded include Best Male and Female Artists from West Africa, Best Male and Female Artists from East Africa, Best Male and Female Artists from South Africa, Best African Group, Best Male and Female Diaspora, Best Dancehall Artist, Best Dance in a Video, Best Gospel Artist, Best Traditional Artist, Best Newcomer, Best Video Newcomer, Best Video Director, Best DJ Africa, Best Dance Group and many more prominent titles. The event will take place in Dallas, Texas on the 26th July, just in time for summer and its good vibrations.

The DJ Central team couldn't be more proud of Suzanna and wish her all the best for her award nomination.

For more information on Suzanna Lubrano, check out her Facebook page [here](#).

ABOUT SUZANNA LUBRANO:

Netherlands based Suzanna Lubrano is one of the most popular female Zouk artists in the Lusophone markets, incorporating various styles of music from Coladeira to Batuqu to her now recent expression of Latin Pop.

With her ever-growing popularity amongst the "Brazilian Zouk" dance worldwide and the "Kizomba Love" Dance scene, Suzanna Lubrano and her Netherlands-based band have performed in countries across the globe, sometimes reaching crowds of up to 80,000 people.

Truly loved and always working hard for her fans, Suzanna has released almost 10 albums over the years. Some of these include, Sem Bo Nes Mund (1996), Fofo (1999), Tudo Pa Bo (2002), Saida (2008) Festa Mascarado US 2 Disc CD (2009), Live at Off-Corso Concert DVD (2010) and her most recent 'The Hits Collection' (2013).

Along with the large success of her recordings, Lubrano has also been honoured in receiving Gold and Platinum albums in the Lusophone market and awarded Best African Female Artist in the 2003 Kora All African Music Awards.

She also won the 2010 Museke Online African Music Award for Best African Artist based in the Diaspora; an amazing gift being the only Cape Verdean artist to be awarded in an election dominated by the major English and French language African countries.

In 2011, Suzanna Lubrano was the most awarded female solo artist at the internationally televised Cabo Verde Music Awards Show (CVMA). She won two awards for her song Festa Mascarado, which become an international club hit.

Since 2008 till today Suzanna has had many songs from her last two albums appearing constantly in various African National Charts, including the songs Taxi, Fiesta, Saida, Bai, Festa Mascarado, Friends (featuring a rap of the late Lisa 'Left- Eye' Lopes from the Super Group "TLC"), Quentura Tropical and Pensa Na Mi. This year alone, Suzanna's vocal talent has led her to her own feature article in the winter issue of Mr Dreamz magazine. She has also performed live in many different countries including Portugal, Switzerland, Angola and France.

Now a part of the DJ Central Team, and with a long list of collaborations with artists and producers under her belt (Giorgio Tuinfort, Ludacris, The Heavy Weights, Ryan Toby and much more), Suzanna Lubrano is bringing her fans and the world more of her sultry smooth voice in the coming months with a line-up of shows that are sure to blow you away!

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- Reality Entertainment (For Australian and New Zealand)
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- Media World
- UnCanny Inc
- Subsonic Records
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