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Sonja Agata Biscan is a Polish Croatian singer/ songwriter and multi- instrumentalist. She graduated in flute from musical high school in 2011, and has been studying solo voice since 2010. Sonja had performed at many festivals in Croatia and abroad, e.g. Imagine Festival in Romania, <u>Nišville Jazz Festival</u> and Kantfest in Serbia, <u>Concert of the Laureates</u> in Poland, THISSFest in Holland etc. She won numerous awards for her music.

In 2012, at Sonar Contest, Sonja was selected one of the best young performers and songwriters in Croatia by renowned Croatian producers and the *Croatian Composers Society*. In result, her first single For A Moment was released in November 2013.

She has taken part in several international workshops and music colloquia such as, the International Youth Orchestra in Germany, <u>International Youth Chamber Choir in Slovenia</u>, '<u>Ethno Sweden</u>' and <u>jazz courses in Norway</u>, Serbia and Bosnia and Herzegovina.

She also attended workshops in Zagreb with acclaimed jazz musicians such as, the *Grammy Award winning* <u>Luis Bonilla</u>, <u>Jim Rotondi</u>, Sigi Feigl, Renato Chicco; singer and teacher of the Alexander Technique, Geórgia Molero Dias, performer and drama teacher Alessio Castellacci etc.

In 2014, she toured 15 states of <u>USA</u>, <u>Kenya</u> and several <u>European</u> countries for 6 months with an international vocal quartet <u>Singers of United Lands</u> (SOUL). The quartet performed for and held workshops for audiences consisting of people of all ages, nationalities and cultural backgrounds.

As of October 2014, Sonja has been in three residencies as the singer pianist in luxury hotels in The Middle East (Doha, Qatar and Dubai, UAE).



