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## SANDRA LAWSON-NDU

I'M A NIGERIAN AMERICAN COMPOSER, VOCALIST, MUSIC SUPERVISOR, MUSIC DIRECTOR, AND PRODUCER ACROSS VARIOUS CREATIVE DOMAINS, INCLUDING, PODCASTS, VISUAL ART, FILM, AND DANCE.

MY RECENT PROJECTS DELVE INTO HOW MISREPRESENTATION AND EXCLUSION IN SOCIAL STORYTELLING CONTRIBUTE TO CULTURAL ERASURE, THE MYTH OF MONSTERS, AND OVERALL DISCONNECTION WITH OURSELVES AND OUR COMMUNITIES.

STORYTELLING IS CENTRAL TO MY WORK.

MY PRACTICE REVOLVES AROUND THE ACTIVATION OF OUR IMAGINATIONS, AND MAKING SPACE TO COLLECTIVELY ENVISION AND SHAPE FUTURES TOGETHER. I TRULY BELIEVE THAT BY ARCHIVING OUR STORIES AND NEW NARRATIVES OF POSSIBILITY ONTO OUR TIMELINES, WE CONTRIBUTE TO BUILDING EMPATHY AND COLLECTIVELY REINFORCING OUR ABILITY TO SHAPE A MORE LIBERATED WORLD.



## WORK EXPERIENCE

LEMONADA MEDIA X SNAP 2022-2024  
JUDGEMENT STUDIOS

→ Music Supervisor and Music Program Coordinator for MIND YOUR OWN: a new podcast from Lupita Nyong'o, centering stories of the African Diaspora

BOYISH RECORDS 2021 - 2023

→ Program Designer and Program Coordinator

BELLS ATLAS MUSIC CO

→ Co-owner, Co-composer, Co-Manager 2011 - 2021

ALICE STREET DOCUMENTARY

→ Creative Consultant, Media Consultant 2019-2021

## SELECTED PERFORMANCES AND PRODUCTIONS

2020

"DIALECTS", CREATED BY SZU-HAN HO PRESENTED BY THE SOUNDWAVE FESTIVAL, SF  
→ Sound designer/ Co - composer and performer

2019

BELLS ATLAS' "THE MYSTIC" NATIONAL TOUR  
→ Lead vocalist and instrumentalist

"SNAP JUDGMENT LIVE" NATIONAL TOUR

→ Co-composer and instrumentalist

2018

"ISTHMUS" CURATED BY SUSU ATTAR PRESENTED BY THE MISTAKE ROOM LA  
→ Composer and dancer

2017

"OPIA" PRESENTED BY YBCA AS A PART OF THE TRANSFORM FESTIVAL,  
→ Co-creator, Music director, Composer, Sound designer and performer

## SELECTED DISCOGRAPHY/CONTRACTED WORK

HARD TO SWALLOW DOCUSERIES (OFFICIAL CANNES SERIES 2024 PREMIERE) PREMIERED APRIL 2024

→ Co-composer for episodes 1, 2, and the official series trailer

"STARS AND STARS" PODCAST PRODUCED BY SIRIUSXM AND FUTURO STUDIOS PREMIERED MARCH 2024

→ Theme composer

"MIND YOUR OWN" PODCAST FROM LUPITA NYONG'O X SNAP JUDGEMENT STUDIOS PREMIERED FALL 2024

→ Theme and story composer

"TARANTELLA" - AN EXPERIMENTAL SHORT FILM PRESENTED BY SMARTBOMB X LOUD CINEMA 2022

→ Film Composer

"OCTOBER UPRISING PROJECT", CURATED BY SUSU ATTAR: A MIXED MEDIA SERIES ABOUT THE 2019 REVOLUTION IN BAGHDA 2021

→ Composer and Sound designer

BELLS ATLAS' "THE MYSTIC" LP. 2019

→ Co-producer, instrumentalist, and lead vocalist