



'The Dutch duo Umoja experimented with organic samples of old school Colombian cumbia, Afrobeat, and other funky, tropical sounds, magically transporting them to an idyllic jungle very far away from their home in Haarlem, North Holland.' - **Music Remezcla**

'I've been a fan of their music, with every single thing they did. These guys had the magic touch right from the beginning.'" - **Jeremy Sole**

'There's something about this sound, it's familiar, almost nostalgic, as if you've heard it in 1000 movies. Wonderfully rich and unpredictable stuff
- **The House of Disco**

'I have never heard of them before but I am blown away, it's really fresh and different and it's from The Netherlands. Sonically very dubby & cinematic, evoking a tropical jungle!'
- **Generation Bass**

'Once you listen to their sound, you directly fall in love with their deep Cumbia grooves and Afrobeat rhythms'
- **Mash It Up**

The sunshine duo from the rainy Netherlands, Umoja, is an organic evolution between two humble groove aficionados whose paths crossed over half a decade ago. They are dedicated to combine electronic productions with a perfect understanding of **world rhythms**. Their music presents an expression of their love for experimentation with African, South American and exotic traditions.

Umoja also functions as curator and initiator of the record labels **Piri Piri** & **INI Movement**. Their first release was "**Je ka lo!**", released in 2012 on INI Movement. Since back then, their voyage has taken the duo to gain support from great artists such as Jeremy Sole, Batida, Thornato, Nicola Cruz, Sam Redmore, Feel My Bicep, Nickodemus, Gilles Peterson, Alma Negra and many more.

They also have been supported by organizations of international reputation like **Akwaaba** music, **Okayafrica** and **Sound & Collors** magazine.

Throughout the top productions and remixes, Umoja has delivered several musical treasures such as **Bilongo Con Sandunga**, **Mo Fiya!**, **Danzi!** and **La Piragua** which have conquered the taste of followers from all over the planet. Since Umoja's music crosses borders and genres, they have released on some of the best record labels from all over the globe: **ZZK** (Argentina), **MultiCulti** (Canada), Sello **Regional** (Chile), **Vida** Records (Spain), Piri Piri (Fiji), **Mawimbi** Records (France), **Hot Casa** (France), **Carnibal** (Greece) and **Budabeats** (Hungary).

Umoja has managed to stay innovative in the global underground scene while continuously showcasing their live DJ sets all over Europe.

Don't miss out on a full musical experience of culture, roots and dance with nothing but positive vibes!

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