

UNGELBAH DÁVILA

photography, design, communications & Indigenous digital storytelling

EDUCATION

- Institute of American Indian Arts, Santa Fe, NM
Bachelor of Fine Arts - Creative Writing
- Santa Fe Indian School, Santa Fe NM

RECOGNITION

- Minneapolis Institute of Art: *In Our Hands: Native PHotography, 1890-Now* (2023)
- *Santa Fe New Mexican Legacy Magazine* Guest Editor (2023)
- International Association of Culinary Professionals Food Photography & Styling Awards Judge (2022)
- Marvel Comics contributing artist (2022)
- The International Regional Magazine Association Silver Award: Arts and Culture Feature (2022)
- Heard Museum Library Archives
- Tlaculio 500 Years Art Show: Tortuga Gallery (2021)
- SWAIA/Santa Fe Indian Market AHA Fellowship (2020)
- SWAIA/Santa Fe Indian Market Discovery Fellowship (2019)
- 98th SWAIA/Santa Fe Indian Market juried art show - 2nd Place Class III (2019)
- IM: EDGE Contemporary Exhibit (2019)
- National Newspaper Association: Best Serious Column & Best Breaking News Story (2013)
- *American Indian Culture & Research Journal*
- Truman Capote Scholarship (2011)
- Louise S. Rivard Scholarship (2011)
- Napa Valley Writers Conference Scholarship (2011)



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ABOUT ME

Ungelbah Dávila (Diné/Spanish/Irish, she/her) earned her BFA in Creative Writing at the Institute of American Indian Arts in 2011 and has worked in publication, advertising, marketing, event planning, and many other creative platforms ever since.

Currently, she provides creative services in the form of photography, copy writing, magazine features, website design, videography, social media management, live show sales and much, much more.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Adobe Creative Suite
- Communications
- Wordpress & Squarespace website platforms
- Professional photography, including lifestyle, product, and portrait genres
- Social media content creations and management
- Creative design and direction

CLIENTS

- National Institute of Flamenco, Marketing Manager
- Ralph T. Coe Center for the Arts
- Changing Woman Initiative
- *Table Magazine*
- *New Mexico Magazine*
- Albuquerque the Magazine
- *Santa Fe New Mexican*
- *Edible New Mexico*
- *Lonely Planet*
- Morningstar Angeline, actor
- Ramona Emerson, author & filmmaker
- National New Deal Preservation Association
- Albuquerque Sister Cities
- TSkies Jewelry
- Relios Jewelry

REFERENCES

- Dr. Jessa Rae Growing Thunder
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