



Raffaella Rizzo was born and raised in Italy and Germany and speaks both languages. She discovered her love for dance as a little girl experiencing her first dance class in ballet at age 10. Her dance journey took off from there. After one year of ballet she began a completely new style, Latino dance. When a new studio opened, offering pole and chair dance, Raffaella's perspective completely changed. She fell in love with chair dance first and began performing a lot with the new studio. Invited by the owner to become a dance teacher, Raffaella was thrilled by the opportunity. After her first program as chair dance instructor, she began pole dance classes and earned her certification as a pole dance, flexibility and Pilates instructor. As the studio grew so did Raffaella's role, from teacher to assistant manager then in six months to manager, improving not only the dance experience but public relations and artistic expression as well.

Raffaella moved to the U.S. with her husband in 2022. A job transfer opportunity for her husband, brought them to Wyoming from North Carolina. Raffaella believes that with passion and heart anyone can accomplish any dream! She is happy to bring her European Dance style education and experience to Cheyenne and is very excited to be sharing her knowledge and passion for dance with students at EnAvant Dance Studio.