

**AAPL Education Award- 2019**

# **James Parrot**



James started in the oil and gas industry as a landman. He traveled the Rocky Mountains obtaining leases, examining mineral title, negotiating and drafting joint operating agreements, and performing due diligence for acquisitions, divestitures, and oil and gas financing. He is intensely proud of this background, because it gave him insight into his clients' practical needs, and the challenges faced every day by individuals who work in the industry. James' contribution to the DAPL Education Committee has been critical to establishing valuable topics for luncheons, knowledgeable speakers and conferences that have been helpful to the DAPL membership navigate our ever-changing industry.