

Tally Smith named top prosecutor

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The top prosecutor in Boone and Gallatin counties will share the 2010 Outstanding Commonwealth's Attorney award with the man who hired her right out of law school.

Commonwealth's Attorney Linda Tally Smith received the honor Thursday in Lexington alongside her former boss, Jim Crawford, commonwealth's attorney for Carroll, Grant and Owen counties.

"There are many reasons why Linda and Jim deserve this award - chief among them is the job they did serving as special prosecutor in the drunken-driving death of one of our fellow prosecutors," Kentucky Attorney General Jack Conway said while presenting the award at the state's annual prosecutors convention.



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