## ARIE BOBER

Arie Bober was born July 18, 1940, in Haifa. He lived there until he was 13 years old, when he joined the Kefar Rupin kibbutz in Beit Sha'an Valley. From 1956 to 1958 he lived in the Hadassim Youth Village. After three and a half years' service in the Israeli Navy, he moved to Jerusalem in 1963 and entered the Hebrew University, where he studied economics and political science. He is now a research assistant in the Vaervold School of Social Work of the Hebrew University. He completed an obligatory three month tour of duty in the Israeli army early this year.

Bober has been active in, and a prominent spokesman for the Israeli Socialist Organization since 1963 and is a contributor to the ISO newspaper, <u>Matzpen</u>. He has published a number of articles on the Israeli economy.