

TimeOut

New York

January 10—16, 2008

Medium cool

Installation **Mai-Thu Perret**
(The Kitchen,
see Chelsea) Video and related
sculptural pieces take as their
premise the Constructivist tenet
that work should have a social
purpose.

The Kitchen

*512 W 19th St between Tenth and
Eleventh Aves (212-255-5793, thekitchen.org).
Tue–Fri noon–6pm; Sat 11am–6pm.*

* **"Mai-Thu Perret: An Evening of
the Book and Other Stories"**

Working primarily in sculpture and
installation, the Geneva-based artist
creates works interrogating aspects of
contemporary consumerist culture
through the lens of utopian revolutionary
ideals. Fri 11–Mar 8.