



## Pratyush Thakur, Investment Director & Country Head

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### Education

- Indian Institute of Technology, Delhi – MBA, Gold Medallist
- Delhi College of Engineering – B.E., Mechanical Engineering

### Professional Membership

- CFA Institute, USA – Completed all three levels
- GARP, USA – Energy Risk Professional

### Summary

Pratyush is a serial intrapreneur, deal maker and business creator; In his 16+ years of corporate career, he successfully built businesses in complex organisational and market set-up. Managed several, equity and mezzanine investments as well as fund raising totalling more than \$700 million, including IPO. He has been recognised by several agencies amongst top leaders in India.

### Professional Experience

#### **Blueleaf Energy** | Investment Director, India and Vietnam, September 2021– Present (India)

- Lead Blueleaf's investments in India and Vietnam; represent the company on board of subsidiaries
- Asset manager for Vibrant investment; assist the business to grow and manage risks.
- Assisted Vibrant to secure project financing and large offtake contracts helping it to build a 1GW pipeline in 18 months.
- Develop new partnerships for utility offtake in India and setting up business in Vietnam

#### **Macquarie Capital** | Associate Director, 2019-2021 (India)

- Executed Macquarie Capital's first RE transaction in India (Vibrant) through due diligence, structuring and documentation.
- As transition manager, helped Vibrant business to be set up to Macquarie's standards.

#### **Statkraft Solar Solutions** | Managing Director, 2015 - 2019 (India)

- Built a distributed solar business from scratch executing 7 projects in 5 states in India
- Managed a high performing team of 29 people to deliver book profit in 2nd year of operations.
- Structured several innovative transactions including Environmental Attribute offtake with one of the global tech giants

#### **Statkraft Markets** | Head of Risk Management, 2012- 2015(India)

- Set up a unique power trading business in India launching several innovative projects in the market

#### **PTC India Financial Services** | Manager- Investments , 2009 - 2012 (India)

- Originated and completed several project financing transactions involving projects worth >\$500m
- Involved in fund raising through international borrowing and IPO worth more than \$200m