Matthias Pallutt: Reducing chaos down to two figures

"I want to make fluids accessible," says Matthias Pallutt. In other words: to quantify the incalculable.

This is how he creates a basis for decision-making at NOTUS. Pallutt is a renowned expert in the economic assessment of energy projects. At NOTUS he is head of project financing and business structure.

"Assessing a wind farm or solar park is highly complex," Pallutt explains. The plants run for at least 20 years, and production, remuneration and operative costs depend on a great variety of factors. "In order to make decisions, we need to quantify opportunities and risks and reduce them down to a few manageable figures."

For Pallutt, this means to unravel the secrets of a project and to make the incalculable calculable.

The business graduate (Diploma) learned his trade by advising and assessing startups (Vencon Venture Consult GmbH) and later by calculating ship investments (Meridian 10 Management GmbH), amongst others.

In 2010 he switched to the renewable energies sector (8KU Renewables). From 2012 onwards he coordinated cross-divisional due diligence processes for 4initia GmbH and assessed onshore wind projects in Germany and France.

He works in the renewables sector from conviction. "At NOTUS I can combine the good feeling that I'm doing the right thing with the knowledge I'm doing something what I'm good at."